

THE WEATHER

Fair and warmer today and Monday. Moderate winds.

Barometer—59.3 a. m.; 59.2—5.4 p. m.

Moisture—11.99 p. m.

High tide—2:18 p. m.; 2:45 p. m.

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HUNDREDS CHASE ROBBER AFTER ADAMS SQUARE HOLD UP.

Great Crowd Joins in Pursuit of Man Who Seizes William Buchanan's Watch and Runs Up Cornhill to Scollay Square

Fifty hundred men and boys took part in a chase last night in Cornhill, Scollay square and court street, with the result that a man seized the watch of Clifford A. Wilson, and escaped to reside at No. 155 Washington street, it is learned up at the City Hall station on a charge of highway robbery. The prisoner is twenty-five years old.

William Buchanan of No. 31 Spencer street, Dorchester, stood looking against a building in Adams square at 8:15 p. m. waiting for a trolley car. With several feet in his pocket looking young Wilson suddenly stepped up, seized Buchanan's watch, almost throttled him with one hand and with the other grabbed Buchanan's gold watch and fled.

It was all over in less than a minute, and Wilson was running like a deer. Cornhill, Buchanan after him yelling "stop thief! Stop thief!" and a countless group of men and boys following him.

Wilson had selected the worst possible place and the worst possible time for his venture. At that hour the night was dark, the streets were empty, and the most congested thoroughfare in all New England. The hundred who had run up Cornhill from Adams square, and Wilson was running toward the street.

The highwayman turned south to Court street and darted for City Hall square, in the neighborhood of the City Hall House and the rear of City Hall.

Despite the fact that he was suffering from rough handling at the hands of the fugitive, Buchanan took no chase.

Puts Up a Hard Fight. Policeman John Fox of the City Hall station, who patrols Scollay square, and Police Headquarters, saw the crowd follow Wilson and made for the further side of the latter.

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THE AMERICAN'S CIRCULATION

Average for February

SUNDAY AMERICAN 351,813
NOW OVER 360,000

Average for February

EVENING AMERICAN 379,151
Friday, March 17 401,300

The Sunday AMERICAN'S circulation exceeds by many thousands that of any other Sunday newspaper published in Boston. It is the third largest Sunday circulation in the world. It is exceeded by only two other newspapers—one in New York and one in Chicago.

The evening AMERICAN'S circulation is over 300,000 more than the next highest competitor claims to print. It is more than 100,000 more than all the other evening papers of Boston combined. In point of circulation it is the second highest evening newspaper in the world.

CIRCULATION GUARANTEED CIRCULATION BOOKS OPEN TO ALL

NUMIDIAN IN PORT. BATTERED BY GALE

Big Liquor Cargo Barely Escapes New Duty on Allan Liner Four Days Late.

The Allan Line steamer Numidian, bound for the harbor and anchored in the stream at 1 o'clock last night, the relief of many people who feared something had happened to the big vessel in Thursday night's hurricane. She was seen here on her way from Glasgow and four days overdue from Glasgow. The vessel was seen here on her way from Glasgow and four days overdue from Glasgow.

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18 FAMILIES FLEE FROM FIRE IN HOTEL

Gas Stove and Draperies Cause Big Scare in Columbus Avenue Apartment.

Eighteen families fled from the hotel last night, a big apartment house at Columbus avenue and Berkeley street, last night, when a fire started in one of the second-floor suites.

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CAROLINA WHITE'S OPERA FIRE HEROINE

Boston Prima Donna Prevents Panic in Philadelphia Audience as Scenery Burns.

INJURED FIGHTING FLAMES. Flimsy Decorations Burn While Star is Singing in "The Secret of Suzanne."

PHILADELPHIA, March 18.—Miss Carolina White, the Boston prima donna, who created the part of the Girl in "The Girl of the Golden West," in Chicago, and is known in private life as Mrs. Paul Longene, is the heroine of a stage fire story that brought her a whirlwind of compliments upon her courage and coolness tonight.

Miss White prevented a panic in the Philadelphia Opera House when decorations on the stage caught fire by smothering the flames with her bare hands. The Chicago Opera Company, with which Miss White is singing, was producing "The Secret of Suzanne," by Wolf and Peretti. An audience of fully 2,000 people crowded the large theater building.

For the most part the estranged listeners were women. With them were many young girls. Miss White had come on to the stage in the first act. She was greeted with a burst of applause.

In the part of Suzanne, which Miss White sang, there is a great deal of very pretty music. She was in the best of voice and spirit. She was in the kitchen and started to light the lamp.

Binger Struck a Match. Miss White struck a match and struck it. There was a flash of flame. A draught came in from the wings and whisked the flame to one side.

The stage chimney was decorated with tissue paper. The flame from the match ignited the paper. There was a burst of flame. It shot up in a long, dense tongue.

The audience and the singers. There was an involuntary note of excitement. Some of the women cried out.

But Miss White did not lose her head. She realized that not only must she sing, but she must soothe her hands. She sang, in order to soothe her hands.

It was the first time that she had ever sung to the accompaniment. But she kept up the song and grabbed the burning paper. She crushed out the flame. Still her hands were hot, although her hands began to pain terribly.

In a few seconds the danger had passed. It was that moment before the excitement of the audience cooled.

Kept On Pluckily Singing. In the meantime there was consternation behind the scenes. The stage manager knew that Miss White had probably been badly hurt. The play was going on. When Miss White was to leave the stage she staggered to her dressing room, almost in a faint because of her burning fingers.

A physician gave her prompt treatment and she was able to continue through the opera. It was not until the end of the first act that the audience realized that the coolness of the charming singer had prevented a panic that might have resulted in the loss of many lives.

Members of the company bowed and congratulated. Miss White and her sister were in the front of the box. The two members of the company bowed and congratulated.

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Navy Divorce Suit Ends Await Walker Decision Story of Love's Tragedy



WOMEN OF THE NAVY SET WHO TESTIFIED IN THE WALKER DIVORCE TRIAL AT NEWPORT.

Shots Into the Air: Scores the Bullseye. Sunday American Promptly Gets Copy of the "Leading Newspaper of Boston."

A Western Union dispatch from Newport, Rhode Island, was received by the Sunday American from the "Leading Newspaper of Boston."

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U.S. ROOPS BASED ON PACIFIC ISLANDS

Garrisons in Hawaii and Oriental Possessions to Be Reinforced, as a Result of News of Japanese Attitude Towards England

Second Infantry Proposed to Be Off for Duty on Mexican Border Secretly Proceeds to San Francisco Enroute to Honolulu

News from London That Mikado Is Striving to Renew Agreement with England Causes a Sensation in Diplomatic Circles

WASHINGTON, March 18.—The United States military forces being deployed by the War Department in view of the Japanese attitude towards England, as a result of news of Japanese attitude towards England.

The department contemplates the movement of the second infantry to the Pacific for the long period of the defense of the Hawaiian Islands and is just now engaged in doing work of an extremely important character.

The more definite move most significant in view of the news from London that Japan seeks to renew its treaty.

It was stated today that the department has ordered to Hawaii two of the first of the fourteenth-century gunboats of the United States Navy.

One of the officials said that two of the fourteenth-century gunboats had already been ordered to Hawaii.

Another authority said that two additional twelve-inch guns were on the way to Hawaii, and that the present force of the latter two places.

It is planned ultimately to have two companies of coast artillery there, but so far only two of the companies have been sent to their posts.

The present garrison of the Hawaiian Islands consists of the 10th and 15th coast artillery, a battalion of infantry and a battalion of engineers.

These are stationed at Fort de Russy. The principal defense is at the air base at Ford Island.

It is understood that there is sufficient military material on hand, but the extent of the danger of Hawaii consists in the fact that it has no mobile troops to watch the approach to the island other than by the force in Ford Island.

The next movement of troops to the islands will consist of some light batteries of cavalry. The President himself has stated in his formal declaration that Hawaii was the key of the Pacific.

It was the lack of money that it argued at army headquarters that has caused the delay in fortification and preparing to resist attack from the rear.

War Department Active. Within the last month the department has begun to utilize the money at its command and the motive for the defense on the scale that is now contemplated is discussed by all officials as being necessary to provide against reported emergencies.

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Children's Wear

- Children's Rompers**, of high grade galles, cottons, chambray, flannel, in pink and blue. Regular price 75c. Sale price 50c.
- Children's Dresses**, new spring styles, in 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 7.50, 8.00, 8.50, 9.00, 9.50, 10.00, 10.50, 11.00, 11.50, 12.00, 12.50, 13.00, 13.50, 14.00, 14.50, 15.00, 15.50, 16.00, 16.50, 17.00, 17.50, 18.00, 18.50, 19.00, 19.50, 20.00, 20.50, 21.00, 21.50, 22.00, 22.50, 23.00, 23.50, 24.00, 24.50, 25.00, 25.50, 26.00, 26.50, 27.00, 27.50, 28.00, 28.50, 29.00, 29.50, 30.00, 30.50, 31.00, 31.50, 32.00, 32.50, 33.00, 33.50, 34.00, 34.50, 35.00, 35.50, 36.00, 36.50, 37.00, 37.50, 38.00, 38.50, 39.00, 39.50, 40.00, 40.50, 41.00, 41.50, 42.00, 42.50, 43.00, 43.50, 44.00, 44.50, 45.00, 45.50, 46.00, 46.50, 47.00, 47.50, 48.00, 48.50, 49.00, 49.50, 50.00, 50.50, 51.00, 51.50, 52.00, 52.50, 53.00, 53.50, 54.00, 54.50, 55.00, 55.50, 56.00, 56.50, 57.00, 57.50, 58.00, 58.50, 59.00, 59.50, 60.00, 60.50, 61.00, 61.50, 62.00, 62.50, 63.00, 63.50, 64.00, 64.50, 65.00, 65.50, 66.00, 66.50, 67.00, 67.50, 68.00, 68.50, 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CHOIR OF 5,400 TO SING IN PAGEANT

The Pageant "Darkness and Light" in connection with "The World in Boston," to celebrate the centennial of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, will be held on Sunday evening, March 26, at the Boston Convention hall. The pageant will be given by the choir of 5,400 singers, who will be singing in the great hall of the convention hall. The pageant will be given by the choir of 5,400 singers, who will be singing in the great hall of the convention hall. The pageant will be given by the choir of 5,400 singers, who will be singing in the great hall of the convention hall.

MIDDLEBORO GIRLS BEAT HAREM SKIRTS

MIDDLEBORO, March 18.—Several young men of this town who have been caught skating "Harem" on the ice, were yesterday morning, March 18, taken to the Middleboro police station. The girls, who were skating on the ice, were taken to the Middleboro police station. The girls, who were skating on the ice, were taken to the Middleboro police station.

MAYOR TO SHAKE UP DEPARTMENT HEADS

New Men Who Can Pass Civil Service to Be Selected Before May First.

Some changes in the heads of departments and in the control of the unpaid heads will be made by Mayor Fitzgerald before May 1, according to authoritative reports at City Hall. There will be a new general commissioner and a new superintendent of supplies. The Mayor succeeds in finding among his supporters few candidates who will pass the civil service qualifications for these positions. Fred H. Lee, the present general commissioner, is an applicant of the late Mayor Hibbard and has good connections. He has been rejected. Mr. Lee, the present superintendent of supplies, holds his post because he was named for the job by the Mayor. The Mayor was rejected by the civil service board. The Mayor was rejected by the civil service board. The Mayor was rejected by the civil service board.

Put a Green Ribbon on "Apiary's" Neck

And the Ringers, Probably, Wounded That Tabby Up and Died. A-P-A-Y! Green Ribbon Cut It?

BROCKTON, March 18.—An entire neighborhood in Montpelier street was shocked and grieved to find when a Maltese kitten, belonging to Miss Katie Ringer, one of the most popular young women in that section, was found choked to death by a ribbon. The kitten was green. Half in fun, but with a little dash of sentiment, the fifteen-year-old mistress of the tabby wound a lovely bunch of green ribbon about its neck yesterday in celebration of the feast of St. Patrick. Whether the bow was knotted too tight, or the kitten drew it taut in play, will never be known.

MORE POSTAL CHANGES

By Efficiency Employees May Earn Promotions.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Postmaster General Hitchcock announced as a result of the efficiency examinations conducted last year to the Post Office Department, the promotion of 140 employees who had earned advancement by exceptionally good service. Sixty-three clerks, whose work had not been to the required standard, were demoted and their compensation was reduced. The Postmaster General effected no adjustment without dropping anyone from the rolls. A great number, who had become less efficient through long and faithful service, were given positions of less responsibility.

ANOTHER YEAR ON TELEPHONE RATES

Company Extends Time in Which Present Contracts May Continue in Force.

Telephone subscribers who have four-party and six-party lines in suburban residences may retain them until November 1, 1912, according to a decision made yesterday by the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company. This extension of time allows them to get the new schedule of rates to be tried out so that the public may have a chance to study the merits and demerits.

MORE SHOE FACTORIES

Five Plants at Manchester Will Cost \$1,500,000.

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 18.—A great was granted, Benjamin C. Lane, chairman of the association's legal and legislative committee, said that the commission did not comprise all that the association wanted.

Wm. Cleveland Wells.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Mrs. Frances Cleveland, widow of the former President, sailed for Europe in the White Star liner Adriatic today, the anniversary of her husband's birthday. Mrs. Cleveland was accompanied by her son Francis. After lunch at the Waldorf-Astoria, she sailed for Europe. Mrs. Cleveland is the only daughter of Mr. Wells.

Fuller-Williams Wedding

Miss Teresa Fuller of Chestnut street and William Williams of Taylor street were quietly married Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, on Chestnut street, Helyeah, Pa. Mr. Williams is to make his home with the groom's parents as Taylor street. Mr. Williams is local agent for the Boston AMERICAN in Helyeah.

Cure That Dandruff

Woodbury's Hair Tonic will cure it. Woodbury's Hair Tonic speedily overcomes dry or greasy dandruff and makes your scalp clean and healthy. Woodbury's Hair Tonic acts QUICK. Results are shown by the first application.

Woodbury's Hair Tonic CURES Dandruff STOPS Itching and GROWS NEW HAIR. It gets right down into the scalp, feeds the hair roots and makes your hair long, rich, abundant and beautiful. Don't risk your hair by using worthless substitutes. Be sure you get WOODBURY'S. Every bottle is backed up by almost 30 years' experience.

Get It Today Don't wait. Get Woodbury's Hair Tonic at once. Use it right away. You will never regret it.

Three sizes — 25c, 50c, \$1.00 Sold by all druggists and department stores. Avoid worthless imitations. Get the genuine Woodbury's Hair Tonic. Order direct from The Woodbury Co., 47 West 34th St., New York City. (Send for sample bottle of this wonderful preparation.)

Sold in Boston at all drug stores, and at the following department stores: The C. E. Osgood Co., The C. E. Osgood Co., The C. E. Osgood Co., The C. E. Osgood Co.

Glen's Shirt Collar Co.
121 TREMONT ST.

Let A be made to order. Let B be made to order. Let C be made to order.

Lot A \$1.50 Lot B .95c Lot C .50c

Let A be made to order. Let B be made to order. Let C be made to order.

FURNITURE CARPETS & RUGS

CREATON'S GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

\$150,000 STOCK OF HIGH-GRADE FURNITURE

Will Be Sacrificed in This Important Sale

SALE OPENS Tomorrow at 8 A. M. and will continue throughout the week

ONE YEAR'S CREDIT IF YOU WANT IT

Live Bargains In Carpets and Rugs

Hundreds of Bargains Not Listed in this Advertisement will be found on Our Floors.

Our Liberal Credit Plan

Special Values in Brass and Enamelled Beds

Couch Covers and Draperies

When In Doubt Buy Of OSCO

New England's Greatest Furniture Store

744-756 WASHINGTON ST. BOSTON

Just a Few Steps From the Boylston and Essex Tunnel Stations.

Furniture for the Dining Room

Buffets, quartered oak.....	\$12.00	\$16.95
Buffets, quartered oak.....	\$5.00	26.85
Sideboards.....	\$8.00	21.75
Sideboards.....	\$2.00	31.50
Extension Tables, square, 5 ft.....	3.85	
Extension Tables, round, 6 ft.....	1.80	9.85
Extension Tables, round, 54 in. top, 8 ft.....	60.00	38.75
Mahogany China Cabinet, 4 doors.....	47.95	
Mahogany Buffet.....	310.00	59.50
Mahogany Serving Table.....	25.00	27.50
Weathered Oak China Cabinet.....	48.00	39.75
Mahogany Buffet.....	70.00	59.00
Mahogany Buffet, golden oak.....	17.00	12.95
China Cabinet, glass shelves and back.....	55.00	41.75
Dining Chairs, box cane seat.....	2.00	1.45
Dining Chairs, leather seat and back.....	5.00	3.75
Dining Chairs, leather seat and back.....	6.50	3.95

Exactly like illustration, quartered oak, heavy French plate mirror, deep drawers. Regularly \$35.00. Our Clearance Sale price..... **22.50**

THE only furniture house in the world that gives a receipt in full on balance and credit accounts up to \$500 in cash and a customer's receipt.

Parlor Suites

Exactly like illustration, 3 pieces, upholstered back, loose cushions, silk plush cover, heavy frame. Regularly \$50.00. Our Clearance Sale price..... **33.95**

New Patterns in Parlor Furniture

8 Parlor Suites, 3 pcs., upholstered in Verona.....	\$38.00	\$30.85
4 Parlor Suites, 3 pcs., upholstered in Verona.....	35.00	26.75
1 Parlor Suite, 3 pcs., gold frame.....	98.00	79.50
3 Parlor Suites, 3 pcs., silk damask and Verona.....	55.00	66.50
Parlor Suites, 5 pcs., upholstered in Verona.....	60.00	37.95

Upholstered Parlor Rocker

Turkish Rocker.....	\$7.50	\$4.95
Green Limit Leather Rocker.....	18.00	12.85
Parlor Cabinets.....	26.00	17.95
Parlor Cabinets.....	22.00	14.95
Parlor Cabinets.....	10.00	6.95
Parlor Cabinets.....	16.00	10.75
Parlor Cabinets.....	34.00	21.75
Davenport Sofa Bed, velvet.....	21.75	14.95
Parlor Table, mahogany.....	10.00	7.95

Dressers

Exactly like illustration, quartered oak, mahogany, swell front, large bevel French plate mirror. Regularly \$22.00. Our Clearance Sale Price..... **16.75**

Brass Beds

Exactly like the illustration, 2-inch continuous posts, made of the best tubing, 5-inch fillers at top and bottom, has style and quality. Regularly \$50.00. Our Clearance Sale price..... **19.85**

Quartered Oak

16.75

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Dining Tables

Exactly like illustration, quartered oak, highly polished round top, carved claw feet. Regularly \$24.00. Our Clearance Sale Price..... **16.75**

Morris Chairs

Exactly like illustration, quartered oak, mahogany, with gold and silver inlay. Regularly \$35.00. Our Clearance Sale price..... **3.95**

Chamber Furniture Bargains

Dressers, golden oak.....	\$11.50	\$7.95
Dressers, golden oak.....	13.00	9.85
Dressers, quartered oak.....	13.00	14.95
Dressers, quartered oak or mahogany.....	24.00	18.75
Mahogany.....	68.00	49.50
Chiffoniers, golden oak.....	11.00	\$7.95
Chiffoniers, without mirror.....	6.50	4.95
Chiffoniers, quartered oak.....	18.00	14.95
Chiffoniers, mahogany.....	26.00	19.85
Chiffoniers, mahogany.....	35.00	27.50

Couch Covers and Draperies

15 Couch Covers.....	\$3.50	\$2.39
20 Couch Covers.....	2.50	1.95
44 Pairs Scotch Lace Curtains.....	1.00	.48
48 Pairs Scotch Lace Curtains.....	1.50	1.00
Cluny Lace Curtains.....	5.00	4.00
White and Arabesque.....	4.00	3.00
12 Couch Covers.....	2.00	\$1.69
Cluny Lace, White and Arabesque.....	4.50	3.25
Brussels Lace Curtains.....	8.00	5.75
Portieres, reds and greens.....	8.00	5.00
Portieres, reds, greens.....	8.50	7.00

Crockery Dept.

40 Brass Jardiniere.....	\$1.75	.89
12 Electric Parlor Clocks.....	8.00	4.95
12 Parlor Lamps.....	4.50	2.95
6 Parlor Lamps.....	12.00	8.95
6 Table Lamps.....	10.00	6.95
6 Parlor Lamps.....	1.00	1.95
20 Dinner Sets, 12 pc., 12 pc., 12 pc.....	17.00	11.75
10 Dinner Sets, 12 pc., 12 pc., 12 pc.....	17.00	11.75
10 Dinner Sets, 12 pc., 12 pc., 12 pc.....	17.00	11.75

Desks and Bookcases

Parlor Desks, oak or mahogany.....	\$24.00	26.95
Parlor Desks, oak or mahogany.....	14.00	9.00
Parlor Desks, oak or mahogany.....	4.00	4.05
Combination Desk and Bookcase.....	19.00	11.95
Combination Desk and Bookcase.....	40.00	29.95
Bookcase, golden oak or mahogany.....	8.00	6.45
Bookcase, mahogany or oak.....	24.00	26.50

Couch Covers and Draperies

15 Couch Covers.....	\$3.50	\$2.39
20 Couch Covers.....	2.50	1.95
44 Pairs Scotch Lace Curtains.....	1.00	.48
48 Pairs Scotch Lace Curtains.....	1.50	1.00
Cluny Lace Curtains.....	5.00	4.00
White and Arabesque.....	4.00	3.00
12 Couch Covers.....	2.00	\$1.69
Cluny Lace, White and Arabesque.....	4.50	3.25
Brussels Lace Curtains.....	8.00	5.75
Portieres, reds and greens.....	8.00	5.00
Portieres, reds, greens.....	8.50	7.00

MINISTERS UNITE TO CURB DIVORCE EVIL

also ever at work trying to undermine or carry by assault the tidal of life from within the lives of our own defenses. Germs thrive and multiply in the mouth, in the nose, and especially in the intestinal organs. It can be said that not only do we live in the midst of death, but that death lives in our midst. The wonder is not that we are ever ill, but that we are ever well."

Mr. Williams goes on to say, "We can so ruin our defending forces that the most dangerous enemy cannot prevail against them. The secret of health, according to the experience and testimony of thousands of people, is to take a small quantity of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, which is purifying and circulating the blood, gives health and strength to the white blood corpuscles, which are the billions of invincible fighters."

Dr. Williams' Sarsaparilla

The Best

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The Filene Anniversary Sale of 1911

Monday—Every Department Tries for a New High Mark in Sales,
AND AFTER LONG AND CAREFUL PLANNING—WE SHALL BE READY AT 8:30 A.M. TOMORROW WITH
146 Special Sales—All New Merchandise—For Spring Wear

ARRANGEMENTS

Extra salespeople—extra cashiers—extra floor managers—extra express service—extra shippers—are provided, and everything is done to bring this big machine—this store—up to its very highest point of working efficiency.

We will fill mail orders as long as lots last—but we cannot guarantee to have the merchandise when orders are received.

12.95 Marshmallow and Cape, Sewy Marshmallow and Cape	8.75
6.00 and 6.45 Marshmallow Capettes and Steals	3.85
1.95 Furless Bows	1.15
French Linen Dresses, hand embroidered	7.50
5.55 Lawn Dresses	3.95
28.00 Marquigette Dresses	16.75
75.00 Duchess Suits Dresses	16.75
25.00 Foulard Dresses	16.75
26.00 Votie Dresses and Suits	16.75
23.00 Tussah Cas- suettes	19.75
25.00 Suits for Women and tailored mod gowns	25.00
Girls' 100 Mixture, Check and Serge Coats	6.75
Girls' 100 Colored White and Colored Serge and Tailored Suits	9.75
Girls' 30c Guardian Waists	22c
Girls' 100 Imported and Chantilly Dresses	2.65
Infants' 90c Imported Cassuettes, embroidered lace and embroidery	50c
Embroidered embroidered	Carrots 75c
Yellow Covers	

Many Other Anniversary
Sale Lots Not
Advertised Here.

Tunnel NO ONE
STORE
THE WAY
LIKE THE
Bargain
Basement

A Lot of *ODD DRESSES*—A Lot of *SAMPLES*—The Stock of a Manufacturer who Discontinued making Dresses—and A Sale of Foulard Dresses, Representing Small Lots from 5 or 6 Manufacturers grouped together—Make Possible tomorrow

Over 2,000 Bargains in DRESSES!



① 3.95 to 7.50 Gingham Dresses and Dresses of Imported Cottons—Chaille—Light and dark colors; for house or street wear. **3.45**

② A Small Lot of 26.50 to 18.50 Odd Dresses—Mostly in soft silks, striped muslins, and satins—salines and pongees. **5.95**

③ 15.00 to 18.50 Foulard Dresses—Suitable for practically all occasions and one of the most popular materials this season. **9.85**

④ A Small Lot of 26.50 to 35.00 Sample Evening Dresses—No TWO ALIKE!—All in size 36 dresses, packed up for use as show-room models. **14.75**

Other Lots of Silk Dresses at 4.87, 9.50 and 11.00. Gingham Dresses at 2.65 and Lingerie Dresses at 3.42.

5.95 14.75 3.45 9.85

Also A Small Lot of Misses' 19.50 to 22.50 Sample and Odd Coats: Mixtures, Checks and Serges for Spring. NO TWO COATS ALIKE! **12.90**

Worsted, Cheviot, Mixture &

Serge SUITS

More than $\frac{1}{2}$ the Suits being
worth between 22.50 and 23.00

For Misses, For Small Women
Regular Sizes, Extra
Large Sizes

**All In One
Lot**

10.75

Platin, mannish tailored models—
Suits in trimmed models. Coats
are the new and popular lengths—
skirts plain, straight or plaid
styles. 16.50 to 25.00 values

Other Lots of Misses' and Women's Suits at 1.85, 7.95, 9.65, 14.75 and 16.75.



10.75 **10.75**

Lots of
5c. Cambrics—Mostly
very round neck, lace
collaring and insertion,
yarns through with
button.

36c

100-100 Cambrics
square—High or low
neck; some open
ended, some with
button.

44c

100 Cambrics—Lace
or emb. yokes; lace
collared armholes and
laced and edged hem.

51c

1-000 Gowns—High or
low neck, long and
short, also short, some
with lace collar and
laced hem.

59c

The Automatic Price Reduction System

Watch the Price
Tags—See What
the Reductions
Should Be—If
Any

**THE FIRST
PRICE MUST
BE SO LOW THAT
Nothing Will Remain
At the End of 2 Weeks,
Otherwise We Lose Heavily
By the Automatic Price Reductions,
as Follows:**

End of 1st Week
End of 2nd Week
End of 3rd Week
End of 4th Week
End of 5th Week
End of 6th Week

NO OTHER STORE
IN THE WORLD
DOES THIS

End of 6th
Week (If Any)
Remain!
Given Away!

How Has It Worked Out? In the 20 months since the
method was proved (1) That it is necessary for every lot to be an extraordinary
bargain at the First Price. (2) That only a small proportion of the lots
ever sell even the first reduction. (3) That where lots do not sell, they will
sell out the first reduction as a rule quickly close out all remaining
pieces. (4) That very, very few places remain to be given away.

Petticoats—300 to 500 Tails
of all sizes. Silk Petticoats; mostly
straight accordion plaited flounce;
also a variety of
plain and change-
able colors.

2.95

Sacks—500 Lawn Dressing
Sacks; some check, flowered pat-
terns. Dutch neck
with fancy border
and cuffs to match.

25c

**Coats Worth
2.00 to 3.00**

1.45

2.95

THE BIGGEST IN THE CITY



Winter Coats for Girls

Dresses from 2 to 14 Years



STYLES—Mostly plain tailored, all new models.

COLORS—Red, blue, brown, grays and checks.

MATERIALS—Serge, broadcloth, fancy weaves, flannel and mixtures.

LINED throughout—most of them—others unlined.

Bargains in Girls' Dresses at 39c, 55c, 1.49, 1.95, 2.45, 2.95, 3.95 and 4.95. AND ABOUT 12 LOTS AUTOMATICALLY REDUCED. ONLY 1, 2, 3, OR A FEW OF A KIND.

AND SEVERAL "GIRLIES" BABY-KNITS AND SWEATERS.

SHIRT-TUBES

Coats Worth 3.50 to 4.50 1.95	Coats Worth 4.50 to 6.00 2.95	Coats Worth 6.00 to 7.50 3.95	Coats Worth 7.50 to 10.00 4.95
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NEWTON WINS TITLE STUDENTS ROBBED AT ASYLUM: INQUIRY IS AT Y. M. C. A. GAMES RACELIFFE COLLEGE ASKED OF GOV. FOSS

Scores 12 Points at Y. M. C. A. Games. Track Meet With Various Events. Y. M. C. A. Games. Scores 12 Points at Y. M. C. A. Games. Track Meet With Various Events. Y. M. C. A. Games. Scores 12 Points at Y. M. C. A. Games. Track Meet With Various Events.

The track stars returned to the Newton Y. M. C. A. after a successful day at the championship of the State at South Norwiche with a total of 12 points. The place was won by a hard struggle.

The event of the day was a 100 yard race in which Newton won by a large margin of 10 yards. The race was won by Newton, who finished in 12 seconds.

The other events were won by Newton, who finished in 12 seconds. The race was won by Newton, who finished in 12 seconds.

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COCKEY RICE CHURCH EXISTS IN HEART OF INDIVIDUAL

Countless Thousands of Dollars in Wealth. Cockeys Rice Church Exists in Heart of Individual. Countless Thousands of Dollars in Wealth.

The Cockeys Rice Church exists in the heart of an individual. The Cockeys Rice Church exists in the heart of an individual. The Cockeys Rice Church exists in the heart of an individual.

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BOSTON SEVEN BEATEN
Losses to Canadians in Rough Game at Sherbrooke, Quebec.

The Boston team was defeated by the Canadian team in a rough game at Sherbrooke, Quebec. The Boston team was defeated by the Canadian team in a rough game at Sherbrooke, Quebec.

FIRE ROUTS SLEEPERS.
Blaze in a Barber Shop Makes Excitement in North End.

A fire broke out in a barber shop in the North End, routing the sleepers. The fire broke out in a barber shop in the North End, routing the sleepers.

SEeks Universal Peace.
A man in a white robe, with a halo, is shown in a religious setting.

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NEW TALK 'VOTERS FOR WOMEN.'
Speeches by prominent figures in the women's movement.

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TWO DROWNED AT SEA.
Facilities Reported in Letter From Whaling Vessel.

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ITALIAN CABINET TO QUIT.
Ministry Decides to Resign After Electoral Law Debate.

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Long Brought to Boston.
The long journey of the ship is described.

The long journey of the ship is described. The long journey of the ship is described.

Standards Are Artificial.
A man is shown in a suit, looking thoughtful.

A man is shown in a suit, looking thoughtful. A man is shown in a suit, looking thoughtful.

RECOGNITION TO BE ASKED.
Insurgents Will Ask U. S. to Be Considered Belligerents.

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Sketch of Count Telya.
A portrait of a man in a suit, looking serious.

A portrait of a man in a suit, looking serious. A portrait of a man in a suit, looking serious.

SEARS' WAR LECTURE.
Photographer to Be Feature at Hay Theatre Tonight.

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IPSWICH MAN ACCUSED.
A man in a suit is shown in a courtroom setting.

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CLERICALS' CIRCULATION IN NEW ENGLAND.
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Suntaug Inn to Get Only License, and Not a Drug Store in Town.

The Suntaug Inn is to get only a license, and not a drug store in town. The Suntaug Inn is to get only a license, and not a drug store in town.

How Many More Need?

How many more need? How many more need? How many more need?

Car Men Get Along.

Car men get along. Car men get along. Car men get along.

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BASEBALL

By Tad

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OPENER

SALE TO THE BLUES

HOW DID THAT BODY GET IN?

PUT IN A REGULAR PLAYER

YES A NEWSPAPER CHAMP

BUT -
IN THE SUMMERTIME.
SAY ABOUT JUNE
HOW THEY TREAT THAT
WONDER -

100-

Fast Players

Make Brant Rock Team

WOODWARD, the third baseman of the Grand Rapids Red Sox, is one of the most popular players in the State. He has been holding the infield position for several years on different teams and has always made good. He played well in his position last season.

First baseman Woodward.

Rock team was one of the fastest in the State.

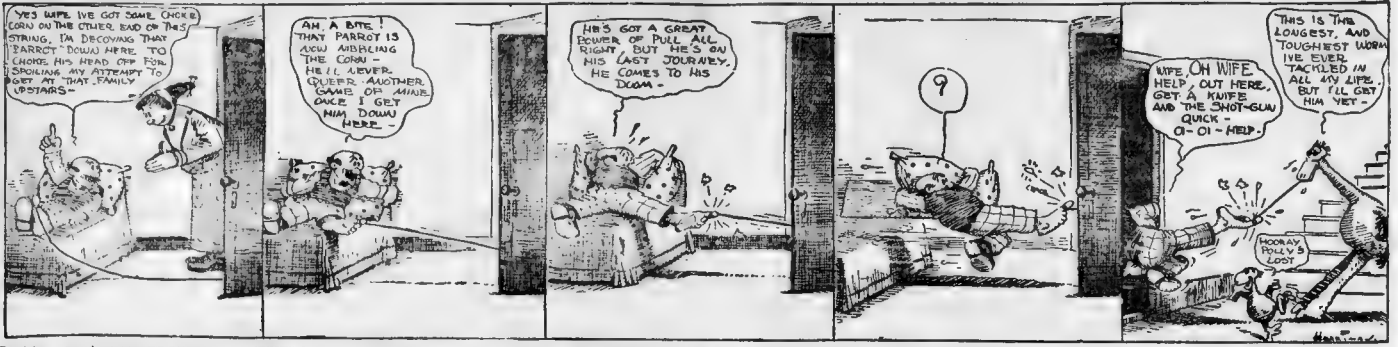
The team is represented by 19 players, mostly from the South Shore.

Much talent was gathered in the State and the team has been successful in the State.

Woodward, second base.

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THE FAMILY UPSTAIRS—THEIR OSTRICH HAS A PULL WITH DINGBAT - By HERRIMAN



LIGHTWEIGHTS SHORT OF CLASS, SAYS JIM CORBETT

McFarland Could Take the Measure of Either Wolgast or "Knockout" Brown.

By JAMES J. CORBETT.

IN my criticism of the first meeting between Al Wolgast and "Knockout" Brown I mentioned that it was a highly poor exhibition of boxing for men supposed to stand in the first rank of their division. Also that it emphasized the fact that we are sadly lacking in high class lightweight material when a boy like Wolgast can rule the roost. From all accounts of their second bout, my opinion on this point has been reinforced by the terrific exhibition to the game.

It is a pity that the fight would have been a real boxer's fight. It is possible, for ten or twelve more, before the other fellow does the leading and forcing with the hope of eventually wearing him down.

And it is no clock that the champion would take a real boxer's fight. It is possible, for ten or twelve more, before the other fellow does the leading and forcing with the hope of eventually wearing him down.

It is a pity that the fight would have been a real boxer's fight. It is possible, for ten or twelve more, before the other fellow does the leading and forcing with the hope of eventually wearing him down.

A Poor Fight and a Draw.

I was unable to see the last Wolgast fight, but I have heard that it was a poor exhibition of boxing for men supposed to stand in the first rank of their division. Also that it emphasized the fact that we are sadly lacking in high class lightweight material when a boy like Wolgast can rule the roost. From all accounts of their second bout, my opinion on this point has been reinforced by the terrific exhibition to the game.

I Want More Money.

A great many sportsmen thought Langford's victory over "Long" was a real boxer's fight. It is possible, for ten or twelve more, before the other fellow does the leading and forcing with the hope of eventually wearing him down.

BOSTON GAMBLERS LOSE.

Talent Hard Hit When Aymer, an Outsider, Wins Florida Special. The Boston talent were soundly beaten when Aymer, selling at 10 to 1, won the Florida Special, at a mile and a quarter, which had been the main event of the day.

South Boston Captures Title * Bowling League Ends Season

Yacht Club Finishes First in the Suburban Inter-Club Organization

By ED. COOGEWELL.

SOUTH BOSTON YACHT CLUB captured the championship of the Suburban Inter-Club League, which has just closed a most successful season. The season for second place resulted in a three-cornered tie between the South Boston, the Yacht Club and the Yacht Club. The South Boston Yacht Club, which has been the champion of the league for the past two seasons, was defeated by the Yacht Club in the final round of the tournament.

LEAGUE STANDINGS.

Team	Wins	Losses	Points
South Boston Yacht Club	10	0	100
Yacht Club	8	2	80
Yacht Club	7	3	70

BOSTON RETAIL FURNITURE LEAGUE.

Team	Wins	Losses	Points
South Boston Yacht Club	10	0	100
Yacht Club	8	2	80
Yacht Club	7	3	70

BOSTON STATIONERS LEAGUE.

Team	Wins	Losses	Points
South Boston Yacht Club	10	0	100
Yacht Club	8	2	80
Yacht Club	7	3	70

WOMAN'S LEAGUE.

Team	Wins	Losses	Points
South Boston Yacht Club	10	0	100
Yacht Club	8	2	80
Yacht Club	7	3	70

KELLY'S HIS NAME; * SSH HE'S A PRINCE

Chicago Boxer Discovers He Is Descendant of Old Royal Italian Family.

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A Kelly has been found at last who is a "Royal" prince. He is not from, as the uninitiated might suppose, he is an Italian—and what is more, he is a prince. Last night the information came to Boston that Hugo Kelly, who is to box Bill McKinnon at the Army Club next Tuesday night, had suddenly discovered that he was a "descendant of one of the Italian families closely affiliated with the present reigning house and who, if he had not been so thoroughly Americanized, might be styling himself only as a member of royalty in his native country."

AMATEURS TO FIGHT.

Best in the Country in Next R. A. A. Tourney. The schedule of bouts in the annual amateur boxing championships of the United States will start Sunday at the Boston Athletic Association. The first bout will be between Kelly and McKinnon.

BOXERS BEFORE COURT.

Wolgast-Memoirs Bout Brings Out Test Case on Court. The case of Wolgast-Memoirs, which was brought before the court last night, was a test case on the subject of boxing.

QUILL TO BOX LAVIN.

Brooklyn Fighter to Tackle Buffalo Boxer. Brooklyn's champion boxer, Quill, is expected to fight a Buffalo boxer in the near future.

SKIN AND SCALP DISEASES.

Dr. Joseph Grady. Medical and Surgical Specialist. Dr. Joseph Grady is a specialist in skin and scalp diseases.

YOUNGSTERS IN LIVELY CONTESTS * FOR SCHOOLBOY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Continued from Page Five.

The thirty-first annual championship of the Boston High School Athletic Association was held at the Boston Athletic Association. The first bout was between Kelly and McKinnon.

STANDARD DARTS TOWNS.

First and Second Place Taken by Kelly and McKinnon. The first and second place in the standard darts tournament were taken by Kelly and McKinnon.

STANDARD INTERMEDIATE.

First and Second Place Taken by Kelly and McKinnon. The first and second place in the standard intermediate tournament were taken by Kelly and McKinnon.

STANDARD JUNIOR.

First and Second Place Taken by Kelly and McKinnon. The first and second place in the standard junior tournament were taken by Kelly and McKinnon.

STANDARD SENIOR.

First and Second Place Taken by Kelly and McKinnon. The first and second place in the standard senior tournament were taken by Kelly and McKinnon.

DR. HALLOCK'S

Famous Remedies

CURE TO STAY CURED

All the most famous and valuable remedies for the treatment of all diseases, both acute and chronic, are contained in Dr. Hallock's Remedies. These remedies are the result of years of study and research, and are the most effective and reliable remedies ever known.

DR. HALLOCK CO. 114 Court Street, BOSTON, MASS.

I CURE MEN BLOOD POISON

BOSTON SPECIALIST

Dr. Killory is a specialist in the treatment of blood poisoning. He has cured many cases of this disease, and his remedies are the most effective and reliable ever known.

DR. KILLORY 114 Court Street, BOSTON, MASS.

URINARY COMPLAINTS

SANTAL MIDY

Santal Midy is a powerful remedy for all urinary complaints, including gonorrhea, cystitis, and prostatitis. It is the most effective and reliable remedy ever known.

DR. KILLORY 114 Court Street, BOSTON, MASS.

YOU HAVE TO SHOW THESE FRESH TEACHERS SOMETHING OCCASIONALLY—By TAD



BOSTON TRUMPHS IN FINAL HOCKEY CLASH

Local Seven Defeats Montreal Team in Hard Struggle at the Boston Arena—Game Marks End of Successful Season.

By E. V. B. PARKE.

THE Boston Hockey Club brought its season to a very successful close last evening in the Arena by defeating the Montreal A. A. champions of that city, in one of the fastest games seen in the Arena this year, the final score standing 4 to 2. The game was a thriller throughout, and productive of the wildest enthusiasm from the crowd which filled the Arena, and would be to some extent equally divided by the two teams.

The game was practically decided about ten minutes before the close, when Boston scored the winning tally and brought the crowd to its feet, and after that the local seven did their best to keep the puck in their visitors' territory.

The game was also tough. Possibly it was not intentionally so, as it nevertheless was full of action and fast. The Canadians as a whole seem to have the trick of tripping and knocking down to a point of perfection that they are never if ever caught at it, and last night they got away with quite a bit of it. The referees were equally divided as to the reprehensibility of justice, with the result that frequently both the tripper and the tripped and the tripper and the tripped were penalized.

McDonald, the co-captain, suffered a total of eight minutes' penalty for rough work, but showed his good spirit by exchanging answers with Huntington, the Boston co-captain, after the game.

Start Rapid Fire Attack. Boston went after their opponents last night heavy at the start and began a rapid fire at the goal. The Canadian goalie, J. J. Corcoran, was not at all equal to the task, and the puck was being sent down the ice and being forced off, passed back and across to him who drove the puck into the net. The first score came early, shortly after the start, and the second came shortly after that. The third came shortly after that, and the fourth came shortly after that.

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Summary and Lineup

In Battle at Arena

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WHAT'LL WE DO WITH MY MATE?

IF IT TAKES US TO FILL A CAN

PHILADELPHIA—T. F. M.

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High School Girls in Fast Basketball Game

Foxboro Wins Close Battle With Rivals from the Bletton High School by Score of 12 to 11.

NORTHAMPTON, March 18.—The Foxboro High school girls' basketball team triumphed over Bletton High by the score of 12 to 11 last night.

The game was one of the best of the season played here.

The referee's whistle brought the game to an end.

The Foxboro team was victorious.

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BLACKBALLED FROM THE CLUB

THE CLUB HAS BEEN JUDICIAL AS TO

MEMBERS WHO IN THE PAST HAVE

BEEN FOUND TO BE UNRELIABLE

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Sample Handkerchiefs At Less Than Actual Cost

MEN'S ALL LINEN, PLAIN AND INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS and women's pocket squares and a choice of handkerchiefs and pocket squares, all at prices 100% below actual cost. Also handkerchiefs and pocket squares.

12½c Handkerchiefs 5c 25c Handkerchiefs 9c

R.H. WHITE CO.**Women's New Kid Gloves**

Guaranteed to Give Entire Satisfaction or Money Refunded.
\$1.15 Women's Pique Dogskin Gloves 79c
 1-clasp, Paris point embroidery; colors, tan, gray, black and white. All perfect fitting.

The Last Enormous Mark Down of All Fall and Winter Suits and Overcoats For Men and Youths at Just 50c on the Dollar



Spring goods are beginning to arrive—we must have room; hence our determination to make an absolute clean-up of all Fall and Winter Clothing results in the most drastic price cuts we have ever undertaken. Every Suit, every Overcoat, offered at way below actual cost to manufacture.

**Your Unrestricted Choice of
These Suits and Overcoats Formerly Priced at \$15.00 for**

Included in this wonderful lot are hundreds of the season's newest and most wanted styles. All strictly hand tailored garments, representing the best efforts of the country's leading makers of Suits and Overcoats of the \$15.00 grade.

Regular stout and slim sizes. All to go without reservation at the sensational price of **\$7.50**

The Balance of Our \$20 Tuxedo Suits

Included in this lot are Tuxedo Suits made from first quality of pure wool. Tuxedo cloth; perfect fitting, hand tailored garments of a high grade. Costs are paid with extra quality of silk. Quantity limited.

\$12.50**Men's \$1 Negligee Shirts**

Absolutely clean and perfect cost models, cuffs attached or one pair detached cuffs, all woven madras.

59c**Men's 50c Neckwear**

Flowing ends or four-in-hand; handsome silks, the very newest colorings. A wide choice of patterns.

25c

Fire Sale of Parlor Sets

From the Atlas Parlor Set Co., 14 Washington Street, Boston

At 50c to 60c on the Dollar

THE GREATEST FURNITURE BARGAINS OF THE SEASON

On Saturday, March 10th, fire started on the upholstery tier of the above named firm, and did considerable damage to a lot of unfinished stock—a part of which was confined to that one tier only and in no way affected the balance of the large stock stored throughout the building. A quick settlement with the insurance adjusters enabled them to dispose of us a large share of the stock at practically 50c on the dollar. Every Set offered in this sale is guaranteed by us to be absolutely perfect—and as the quantities are limited in some cases and many of the biggest bargains failed to get notice here, we advise early selection Monday.



\$65.00 Parlor Set \$35.00
 Exactly like cut, very large set, with deep seats, claw feet, large cushions. reg. price \$65.00. Sale **\$35.00**



\$60.00 Solid Mahogany Set \$30.00
 Very handsome set, like cut, with high curved backs, winged sides, solid mahogany; reg. price \$60.00. Sale **\$30.00**



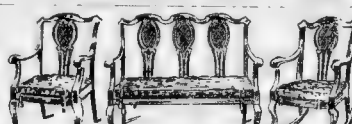
\$85.00 Parlor Set \$55.00
 Exactly like cut, very fine set, frame of best make, coverings of green silk panne velvet; reg. price \$85.00. Sale **\$55.00**



\$80.00 Parlor Set \$45.00
 Exactly like cut, extra fine set, 5 pcs, frames best make, coverings of green silk panne velvet; reg. price \$80.00. Sale **\$45.00**



\$80.00 Parlor Set \$45.00
 Very fine set of English design, like cut, beautifully carved frames, lamp sofa, arm-chairs and handsome corner chair; regular price \$80.00. Sale **\$45.00**



\$60.00 Solid Mahogany Set \$35.00
 Exactly like cut, Chippendale design, of solid mahogany, silk panne velvet; reg. price \$60.00. Sale **\$35.00**



\$85.00 Parlor Set \$45.00
 Beautiful set of Louis XV design, exactly like cut, frames are of the best make, delicately moulded and finished, coverings of green silk panne velvet; regular price \$85.00. Sale **\$45.00**



\$80.00 Parlor Set \$40.00
 Very handsome set of Louis XV design, exactly like cut, large size pieces, best of workmanship; reg. price \$80.00. Sale **\$40.00**

R.H. White Co's Bargain Basement

Similar Waists Advertised by a Well-Known Boston House as

\$4.49 WAISTS**OUR PRICE..****94c**

Women's fine tailored waists, handsome black, red or blue plain effects, Gibson style, with jabot effects; collars and cuffs trimmed with mesaline; sizes 34 to 41.

ADVERTISED AS A \$2 EDDY SILK WAIST

OUR PRICE**75c**

1.00 Petticoats . . . 59c
 Women's cotton petticoats, cut very full, trimmed with lace edge, insertion and deep under ruffle.

60c Corsets . . . 48c
 Rust-proof steel, heavy quality material, medium hip and bust; all sizes.

3.50 and \$4 Shoes 1.98
 Women's sample shoes, in all leathers; sizes 2½ to 4½. Also: Corsets, instep pumps, fancy buttons, and very dressy. Sizes 2½ to 6.

1.50 Underwear . . . 98c
 Skirts, Night Gowns, Corset Covers and Combinations, daintily trimmed with laces and embroidery.

1.50 Corsets . . . 79c
 Princess corsets, made extra long, rust-proof steel, light weight; sizes 18, 20, 21, 24 and 27.

75c Dresses . . . 41c
 Infants' fine muslin, trimmed with tucked yokes, edged neck and sleeves with fine lace.

Smart—Snappy—Stylish and Serviceable
 Positively This Spring's Very Latest Creations In

Women's Suits and Dresses**\$12.50 to \$15 Spring Suits****\$12.50 to \$14 Silk Dresses****\$7.50**

SUITS—Jerges, mixtures and all-wool chignon panamas, coats 25 inches long, semi-fitted back, the new straight line effect and lined with a guaranteed lining. Skirts made in the new Spring fashion. Each suit a smart, dressy model of this Spring's most graceful lines. Sizes 34 to 42.

DRESSES—Excellent quality striped messalines, Jap silks, taffetas, and a few French serges; some plain tailored, others handsomely trimmed—but each one a good example of this Spring's very newest, smart, serviceable and stylish creation in a dress. Sizes 14 to 42.



Two Handsome \$16 Models—Bargain Basement Price \$7.50 Each

Two \$14 New Spring Dresses—Bargain Basement Price \$7.50 Each

10c. Wash Goods**REMNANTS MILL ENDS 6½c****NEWEST DESIGNS**

Colored muslins in dots, figures and stripes, either light or dark patterns. Short lengths from 1 to 8 yds. long.

12½c Wash Goods 8c
 White Lawns, Muslins, Batists, heavy Cotton Cross-bar Muslin; 36 and 40 in. wide.

12½c to 19c Madras 10c
 White or colored, 36 inches wide, mercerized finish, neat and most desirable stripes and figures.

59c Cotton Sheets 39c
 Good quality heavy cotton, size 2½, with deep hem.

\$1 and 1.50 Kimonos 39c

Short or long kimonos, handsome floral designed flannel, daintily trimmed with satin to match, also among this lot a few very handsome dressing gowns with fitted backs.

59c Kimonos 25c
 Women's short kimonos, neat floral patterns with border on front and sleeves, shirred abdomens, back and front, good heavy quality material.



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ENGLAND TO FIGHT IN MASS MEETING FOR PEACE OF THE WORLD

Sir Ed. Grey, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, will deliver the principal address at the Peace Conference, which will be held in London on the 22nd inst.

Mr. Grey will also deliver the principal address at the Peace Conference, which will be held in London on the 22nd inst.

A Notable Demonstration.

A demonstration was held in London on the 18th inst. in support of the Peace Conference.

A General Demand for Peace.

A general demand for peace was made in London on the 18th inst.

Some One Put the Lights Out at This Lady's Reception

Comedy of Errors in the Darkness Overtook the Marquise de Ventworth's Assembled Guests.

A comedy of errors in the darkness overtook the Marquise de Ventworth's assembled guests at her reception on the 18th inst.

Peer Uses a Ladder to Escape Slander Suit

Case of Baron De Forest Against His Mother-in-Law Causes a Fight of Witnesses.

A peer used a ladder to escape a slander suit, as the case of Baron De Forest against his mother-in-law causes a fight of witnesses.

Genuine Rembrandt Is Bought in Russia for \$6

Later Painting Is Sold for \$5,000 and Then Stolen from a Dealer

A genuine Rembrandt painting was bought in Russia for \$6, later sold for \$5,000, and then stolen from a dealer.

AMERICAN ARTISTS WORKING FOR SALON TO BEAT HOME RULE

Alexander Harrison, Despite Office Hours in Leland Street, Criticism, Returns to His First Love in A. I.

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SPECIAL VANS FOR HATS.

Shipment of Millinery May Make Hat Train Necessary.

A special van for hats was used for the shipment of millinery, which may make a hat train necessary.

TEACH MOTHERS.

They Learn to Tell Why the Baby Cries.

A course of instruction for mothers was given on the 18th inst.

PIANIST'S HENS WIN HONOR

Paderewski's Wife to Be Decorated for Success as Farmer.

A pianist's hens won honor, as Paderewski's wife is to be decorated for success as a farmer.

LAST TITCH FIGHT TO BEAT HOME RULE

Office Hours in Leland Street, Criticism, Returns to His First Love in A. I.

A last titch fight to beat home rule was held on the 18th inst.

STATE OWNERSHIP WINS.

Phone Girls in Vienna Get Food at Cost.

State ownership wins, as phone girls in Vienna get food at cost.

A Pilgrimage to Garden.

A pilgrimage to the garden was held on the 18th inst.

Disorce May Keep Her from Court.

A divorce may keep her from court, as the case of Mrs. Spotswood is being heard.

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Mrs. Spotswood to Be a Countess CORONATION MAY BE LACKING PRESENCE OF A NOTABLE PEERESS

Marital Knot Cut, Will Wed Countess of Marborough's At Home on Whim of Stuart Laced Court.



Fresh Page in Romance of Former American, Who Was Called the "New Beauty" of Paris.

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SOCIETY NEWS HERE COST \$250,000

Cupid Demands Many Costly Features, and These Are Only for a Short Season.

When the high cost of living is applied to wedding costs, the result is a startling one. It is hardly to be wondered at that the average wedding here costs \$250,000. It is not that the bride and groom are so rich, but that the cost of the wedding is so high. The average wedding here costs \$250,000. It is not that the bride and groom are so rich, but that the cost of the wedding is so high. The average wedding here costs \$250,000. It is not that the bride and groom are so rich, but that the cost of the wedding is so high.

MISS LEONARD, WHO LED TEACHERS IN CALL ON GOVERNOR

She is the first woman to lead a delegation of teachers to the governor's office. She is the first woman to lead a delegation of teachers to the governor's office. She is the first woman to lead a delegation of teachers to the governor's office.

FOSS NEARLY GIVES PLEDGE TO TEACHERS

Governor, However, Assures Delegation He is Interested in Move for Increased Pay.

More women of merit of the Boston school system were present at the meeting. More women of merit of the Boston school system were present at the meeting. More women of merit of the Boston school system were present at the meeting.

BOSTON GIRL HAS LEADING OPERA ROLE

Ruby Coffer Savage Sings in "L'Enfant Prodigue" to Evening Audience.

By Frederick Johns. Ruby Coffer Savage, a young girl of sixteen, has been selected to sing the leading role in the opera "L'Enfant Prodigue" at the Boston Opera House.

GYPSY SMITH IN PARIS TO EVANGELIZE PARIS

Says Europe Is Gospel Hungry and Will Ask Help From American Protestants.

Paris, March 18. A great work is being done in Paris by a young woman, Gypsy Smith, who is a native of America. She is a member of the American Protestant church in Paris.

DOUBT-THOUGHT WIFE TO CUT BOTH KNOTS

Declaring Husband "Unbearable," Mrs. Arnold Heath Sues for Divorce.

As a result of her husband's "unbearable" conduct, Mrs. Arnold Heath has filed a bill for divorce in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia.

COLLEGE ROMANCE WIFE, WHO ASKS FOR A DIVORCE

She is the first woman to lead a delegation of teachers to the governor's office. She is the first woman to lead a delegation of teachers to the governor's office.



MRS. ARNOLD HEATH

WOMAN KILLED BY AUTO IN PROVIDENCE

Had Only Just Arrived in City from Medford When Struck by Millionaire's Car.

Providence, March 18. Mrs. Agnes G. Gifford, a woman of thirty, was killed by an automobile in Providence. She was on her way to work when she was struck by a car.

'CHILD WORTH MORE THAN ROCKEFELLER'

Judge Goodnow of Chicago Court of Domestic Relations Tells His "Platform."

Chicago, March 18. Judge Goodnow, of the Chicago Court of Domestic Relations, has issued a statement regarding the value of children. He stated that a child is worth more than Rockefeller.

How to Develop The Bust Free

Mme. de La Revere, Expert on Feminine Beauty, Tells Americans Women, Free, How to Perfectly Develop the Bust.

The number of underdeveloped women in America is astonishing. Mme. de La Revere, an expert on feminine beauty, has written a book on how to develop the bust.

Flowers Are Expensive

The decorations for the wedding of the daughter of a wealthy family are estimated to cost \$250,000. The decorations for the wedding of the daughter of a wealthy family are estimated to cost \$250,000.

Teachers Are Elated

The teachers of the Boston school system are elated over the prospect of a salary increase. The teachers of the Boston school system are elated over the prospect of a salary increase.

Woburn Pastor for Mariboro

Rev. William H. Smith, of Woburn, has been elected pastor of the Mariboro church. Rev. William H. Smith, of Woburn, has been elected pastor of the Mariboro church.

New Hampshire to Shoot at Warship 10,000 Yards Away

Washington, March 18. The United States Navy has announced that it will shoot at a warship 10,000 yards away. The United States Navy has announced that it will shoot at a warship 10,000 yards away.

To Riddle Old Texas

The Texas Rangers are expected to be sent to the border to deal with the situation. The Texas Rangers are expected to be sent to the border to deal with the situation.

Become School Teacher

Mr. Arnold is not a teacher, but he is a man of letters. Mr. Arnold is not a teacher, but he is a man of letters.

No More False Teeth

Dr. Estabrook's False Teeth are the best. Dr. Estabrook's False Teeth are the best.

Health and Beauty Queries

By Mrs. M. M. Maltby. Madam: For your health and beauty, you should use Dr. Estabrook's False Teeth. Madam: For your health and beauty, you should use Dr. Estabrook's False Teeth.

Have You Gray Hair?

Just Read This Free Offer. Some anxiety, or strenuous work, or prolonged care has overtaxed the brain and sapped strength from every nerve and cell, and very naturally, from the hair cells—so close to the brain. This impoverished, they could not do their duty—got on the down-grade—and the color of your hair simply went—faded out.

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GLoucester Fish Men To Behring's

DENVER, March 19. — The first of the winter blizzards to hit the city since the beginning of the season was reported by the weather bureau today as a "medium blizzard" with a heavy snowfall of 3 to 4 inches. It was the first of the season to hit the city since the beginning of the season.

Gains 30 Pounds In 30 Days

**Flesh-Builder, Protone, in Many
Cases of Run-Down Men
and Women.**

**Prove It Yourself By Sending Coupon
Below for a Free 50c Package.**

* My George, I have now finished the treatment of that new treatment Protone. I feel like a new man and feel like I am for a long time. I feel like a new man and feel like I am for a long time. I feel like a new man and feel like I am for a long time.

A black and white photograph of a woman from the chest up. She is wearing a large, wide-brimmed hat with a dark band and a decorative veil or netting over her face. Her hair is styled in an updo. She is wearing a dark, patterned dress with a square neckline. She is looking slightly to her right with a neutral expression. The background is plain and light-colored.

Any Man or Woman Who is Thin
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Treatment, Protone.

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COTTON FUTURES
HOLDING STRONG

Ginners' Report Expected to Show Crop of Less Than 12,000,000 Bales.

By EDWARD LOW RANLETT.
NEW YORK, March 18.—The cotton market ruled quiet but generally strong today. Influenced by the news of the ginners' report expected to show a crop of less than 12,000,000 bales, the market was supported by the latter's speculative interest.

The trading took the form of selling of March contracts whenever the price of the month approached 11.00. This selling was effected through the medium of the speculator's order to sell, the object of the holding being to prevent further shipments from the South of cotton for delivery in May.

Later this morning the market improved in tone and the price of the new cotton trading was better. The price of the new cotton was reported by the Texas ginners' report to be expected to show a crop of less than 12,000,000 bales, inclusive of interest in the market. The price of the new cotton was reported by the Texas ginners' report to be expected to show a crop of less than 12,000,000 bales, inclusive of interest in the market.

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Spinners on Full Time.
Outside of America, the world's cotton spinners appear to be operating on a full time schedule. Private cables received from Europe and Asia indicate that the cotton crop is being marketed very rapidly, and it is possible that the ginners' report will show a crop of less than 12,000,000 bales, inclusive of interest in the market.

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UPWARD MOVEMENT
AS MARKET CLOSES

Missouri Pacific Is Disturbing Element All Through Weeks' Stock Trading.

By THOMAS C. SHOTWELL.
NEW YORK, March 18.—Stock closed today in the midst of an upward movement, probably due to short covering.

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AMALGAMATED POSITION
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Purchase of United Metals Selling Company Will Increase Its Earning Power.

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UNCLE SAM LOSING
PAN-AMERICAN TRADE

Larger Part of Growing Commerce Now Going to European Countries.

By BOERSHNER.
CHICAGO, March 18.—The latest statistics of the commerce south of the United States are peculiarly interesting.

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Continued Dullness
Is Shown in Wool

Goods Market Dormant and Awaiting Tariff Revision; Buying More Desultory.

In the wool market dullness is generally reported, and buying has been slow. The market is dormant and awaiting tariff revision.

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VALUES CANNOT
BE WIPED ASIDE

Even Though Court Decides Against Corporations; Copiers Hold Firm.

By A. WILKINS.
PHILADELPHIA, March 18.—The Supreme Court decision in the case of the copiers has not wiped aside the values of the copiers.

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BEARS RULE IN MAY
WHEAT OPTION PIT

Stocks Made Big Profits After Heavy Losses in January.

By JOSEPH F. PRITCHARD.
CHICAGO, March 18.—The bears in the wheat option pit have been making a big profit in May.

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PROFIT-SHARING IN AMERICA SPREADING

Marshall Field & Co. Take in Twenty-Five Employees as Partners

CHICAGO, March 18.—The profit-sharing plan of Marshall Field & Co. has been extended to twenty-five more employees, making a total of thirty-five partners in the plan. The plan was first introduced in 1904 and has since been extended to many other employees. The plan is a profit-sharing plan, in which the employees receive a share of the profits of the company. The plan is a very successful one, and it is expected that it will be extended to many more employees in the future.

Planned by Founder.
The plan was planned by the founder of the company, Marshall Field. It is a plan in which the employees receive a share of the profits of the company. The plan is a very successful one, and it is expected that it will be extended to many more employees in the future.

Chance for Ambition.
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MISS JORDAN IN DANCE.
Appears at Opera House Thursday in Classical Costume.

A Boston dancer is to appear in a classical costume at the Opera House on Thursday. The dancer is Miss Jordan, and she is expected to give a very successful performance.

If You Are Becoming DEAF
or are troubled with Ringing Noises in the Head
My Illustrated Free Book Contains JOYFUL NEWS

TO CURE YOU PERMANENTLY
DEAFNESS IS DANGEROUS
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DR. GEO. E. COYNE, N.Y.

Good Housekeeping Divorce Cure Keefe Puts Blame on the Women

David Keefe, Editor of the Good Housekeeping Magazine, Responds



DAVID P. KEEFE

Lawmaker Declares Girls Rush Into Matrimony, Lacking in Knowledge

NEW YORK, March 18.—David P. Keefe, editor of the Good Housekeeping Magazine, has written a long and interesting article in the March issue of the magazine, in which he declares that girls rush into matrimony, lacking in knowledge. He says that many girls are married without knowing what they are doing, and that they are often married to men who are not suitable for them. He says that the girls are often married to men who are not suitable for them, and that they are often married to men who are not suitable for them.

Married Blindfolded.
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BLOW UP CHAPEL, SAYS HARVARD ADVOCATE: Muckraking Material

Ancient Magazine of Old University Joins in College

THE HARVARD ADVOCATE, the oldest of the Harvard student magazines, has just published a long and interesting article in which it says that the students of Harvard should blow up the chapel. The article is a very interesting one, and it is expected that it will be read with great interest by the students of Harvard.

Advocate Says the Chapel is a Blot on the Campus.
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"Dull, Uninteresting Lectures."
The article says that the lectures are dull and uninteresting, and that the students should blow up the chapel. The article is a very interesting one, and it is expected that it will be read with great interest by the students of Harvard.

Dynamite in Pulpit.
The article says that dynamite should be used in the pulpit, and that the students should blow up the chapel. The article is a very interesting one, and it is expected that it will be read with great interest by the students of Harvard.

Entertainment and Dance by the Jewish Juniors in Brookline.
The article says that the Jewish Juniors in Brookline are giving a very successful entertainment and dance. The article is a very interesting one, and it is expected that it will be read with great interest by the students of Harvard.

Instant Relief from Neuralgia
Sloan's Liniment has a soothing effect on the nerves. It gives instant relief for neuralgia or sciatica.

RELIEF FROM SCIATICA.
W. H. HAWKINS, of Cambridge, N.Y., writes: "Before using your Liniment I had been in bed with sciatica for some time. After I began its use, I got relief."

DEMAND THAT STATE REMEDY CONDITIONS FORCING 25,500 GIRLS TO WORK FOR \$6 A WEEK

State Should Act

NEW YORK, March 18.—The National Child Labor Committee has just published a long and interesting report in which it says that the conditions for forcing 25,500 girls to work for \$6 a week are very bad. The report is a very interesting one, and it is expected that it will be read with great interest by the public.

State Should Act.
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Problem of the Underpaid.
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DISMISSAL CAUSES ROW.
Town Stirred Up Because Girl Librarian is Dropping.

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Contest Closes March 23
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APARTMENT HOUSES TO COST A MILLION

Riverbank Trust Will Build These on Ames Property in Cambridge.

A new Cambridge apartment house, known as the Riverbank Trust, is to be built on Ames property in Cambridge. The house is to cost a million dollars, and it is expected that it will be a very successful one.

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THE FABLE OF THE FOOLISH MONKEY

Like All Fables It Has a Moral and an Application to the Cases of a Very Large Number of Bipeds Who Ought to Have More Than Monkey Intelligence.

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IN a country near the Nile, the natives, if they come to trust and like you, will tell you this fable:

Once upon a Time there was a Monkey, who, from his high Place in the tops of the Coconut Trees, watched the Man at work in the Villages. One day he saw a Carpenter sawing Logs with a Saw which he had made out of a Sword.

The Monkey was interested in the Saw, for Monkeys are Always interested in Everything. At night when the Carpenter was Asleep, the Monkey went to his Hut and Stole the Saw. The next morning he climbed a Tree with his Prize, and seating himself on a Lamb, began to saw it, as he had seen the Man saw the Log.

But he got on the Wrong side of the Saw. When he had sawed the Lamb half way in Two, it broke, and despite his nimbleness, he Fell into the River Below, which was filled with Crocodiles. The Moral of this Fable is: "Keep on the right side of the Saw."

You may draw that moral, or a number of others from the fable. It is worth thinking about, whatever moral you draw from it. As you advance in years, and in experience, which the years bring with them, you look back on your earlier days and discover with disgust that you have made many mistakes.

It is the wise man who profits by the mistakes of others, if he can. It is much less costly and annoying than profiting by his own.

If you read and study you can avert much trouble; you can avert far more if you OBSERVE. Look at the young men whom you meet, or whom you watch as you go about your business or your amusements.

Here is one diligently at work saving away his future with the deadly saw we call INTEMPERANCE. Like the imitative monkey, he gets no end of amusement out of drink. He has been told that many great men have been drunkards, and he has also been told, which is not true, that some of them were great men BECAUSE they were drunkards; that is, they never did anything of importance unless they were drunk.

So he plays with intemperance till he out-rides the vice of drinking, and then, when he discovers that his only support has been cut off and that he is rapidly going to destruction, he shouts in vain for help.

Happily, intemperance is decreasing. It is no longer fashionable to be drunk in society. Statesmen no longer consider it just the thing to go into a Senate chamber drunk. Employers have discovered that a useful man is too expensive if he has not the sense to keep sober, and that sober men can be found easily to take the place of those who neglect their work because they like the sensation that comes with intoxication.

As the years go by the human monkeys who use that means of bringing about their downfall will decrease rapidly in numbers. But the means that men find to destroy themselves are of endless variety.

Men, especially those who have not learned to reflect, are continually meddling with forces they do not understand, and continual getting into trouble because of it.

It is not always the obvious or the dishonest that come to grief. Often the best intentioned discover when it is too late that they have been cutting their support away, and that the chasm of destruction lurks beneath them.

The get rich playing is a saw that men will use to bring them into trouble as long as the gambling instinct remains a human inheritance, and that promises to be forever.

It is hard to persuade the man who has to work hard for a little money that his prosperous neighbors have not gained their prosperity by lucky chances. For years a great lottery, stretching like a writhing snake about the country, robbed the people of millions of dollars weekly. Rich and poor, high and low bought tickets every week, living on the hopes that were kindled by widely published stories of big winnings, never learning of the thousands of cases of despair and suicide occasioned by the losses that went to make up those winnings.

When at last the Government took a hand and drove out the lottery, other forms of gambling rose up to replace it.

Race track gambling, now luckily almost at an end, served to supply the saw by which the foolish public could plunge itself to its fate. Then came the 520 per cent interest games, and "fake" investment schemes, many of which still flourish despite all that can be done to drive them out of existence.

It has been said that the gambler does not seek his victims; that he never compels anybody to gamble; that he merely furnishes the opportunity and his prey comes of its own accord.

As well defend the snake which lies in wait at the mouth of a prairie dog burrow. The snake knows that the prairie dog must sooner or later come out of his lair. The gambler knows that the average human being must sooner or later gamble.

If you know of a man who, honest otherwise, is still inclined to try to get rich quick by responding to any of the lures of the sharks that prey on his kind, do not try to warn him away by talking of the evil of gambling itself, or the danger of losing. You cannot make him believe that he will lose. Hope springs eternal in the human breast. The hope of winning cannot be stilled in the breast of the gambler.

Tell him that he may win, but that his winnings will come out of the pockets of the men and women who must lose. Tell him that the five hundred dollars he expects to get out of some carefully disguised lottery scheme will be taken from the total savings of some poor widow, striving in her ignorance to get a fortune out of the few dollars her husband has left her.

Tell him that, no matter how fortunate he may be, his fortune will mean some other man's misfortune, and that his success will bring sorrow, getting nearer, to others. Then, IF HE IS HONEST, he will stop.

It is easy to say that no honest man will ever gamble; that no self-respecting man will ever drink; that no intelligent man will destroy his future by indolence, or vanity.

But the man who sees poverty staring him in the face, his children in danger of want, and the cost of living going up at a rate with which his earnings cannot possibly keep pace, may be forgiven if he sometimes yields to the temptation to get something for nothing, so alluringly presented to him by the scoundrels who fatten on that particularly rascally species of robbery.

As for the drunkard—the temptations that are offered to him are at first put in so subtle and apparently harmless a form that he is drifting down a terrible current before he fully realizes where he is going.

Indolence, one of the most irresistible means of self-destruction, is inherent in most men. A great and successful man, who himself works eleven or twelve hours every day, and does not spare the men who work under his direction, admits that he is naturally lazy.

"Every man," he says, "is as lazy as he dares to be. The only difference between me and some of the men I know who have not got as far as I have is that I have not the courage to be very lazy."

It is so easy to align the task at hand, or to put it off until to-morrow; so pleasant to do the things you want to do rather than the thing you ought to do, that a man must summon all his will power to resist.

In your own experience you have undoubtedly met men of real talent who have proved utter failures because of their indolence, while other men, with half the natural equipment, have far outstripped them.

The man who plods gets little applause or admiration while he is plodding, but there comes a time when the brilliant man finds that he has only been saving away his support by trifling with the gifts that the Creator bestowed upon him, and when the plodder comes to the reward that his long arid toiling have earned for him, then his is the applause and the homage that comes to all success, and the bitterness of despair is for the man who has wasted the gifts that were his by nature.

As the world grows larger and competition grows keener, it becomes harder and harder to rise above the general level, to be anything but the commonplace citizen, who has the price of his living fixed for him, who is denied any real voice in the government of which he ought to be a part, who, far from doing anything for his fellow men, finds it difficult to do anything for himself and his family.

As his difficulties grow his caution must increase. There are and always will be alluring temptations to beset his way. There will be plenty of saws ready to his hand, and if he chooses to use them to cut from under him the only support he has, destruction is a few ways ready to swallow him up, like a grinning humorous crocodile in the cartoon that accompanies this editorial.

But if he uses his JUDGMENT, which all men possess in a greater or less degree, and thinks before he allows himself to try tempting experiments, he will not find the way to usefulness so hard, after all.

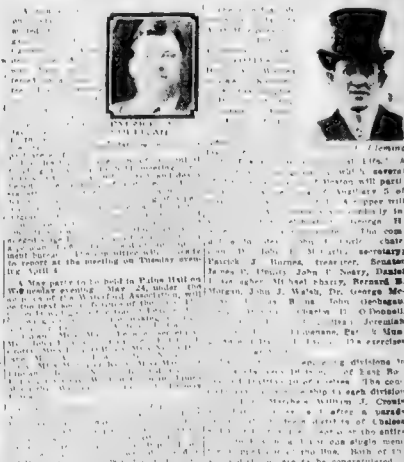


Don't Forget the 5,000 Vote Bonus Given With Each Lot of (10) Subscriptions During March!

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PERSONAL NOTES OF WHAT IS GOING ON
IRISH COUNTY CLUBS IN A. O. H. DIVISIONS

Central Council Takes Under St. Patrick's Anniversary Exercises To-day in Odd Fellows' Hall, Roxbury.

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pledged to refrain from any further action until the 12th National Guard. A carefully planned march was held in the city on Monday, April 10, led by Joseph J. Lombardi, president of the American Labor Union. The march was led by Joseph J. Lombardi, president of the American Labor Union. The march was led by Joseph J. Lombardi, president of the American Labor Union. The march was led by Joseph J. Lombardi, president of the American Labor Union.

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The Bilco Association will meet next

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The Armagh Association will meet in the U. H. next Thursday evening. Arrangements for the homecoming of the late and much loved brother, John H. Trebilcock, will be made by the association. The U. H. will be decorated and a service will be held at 8 o'clock. The association will also have a social hour following the service. The association will meet again on Sunday evening, the 10th, at 8 o'clock. The association will also have a social hour following the service. The association will meet again on Sunday evening, the 10th, at 8 o'clock. The association will also have a social hour following the service.

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BIG IMPROVEMENT IN REALTY MARKET

Day, Says Negotiated the Past Week Gives a Good Tone

SOME NEW PLANS PENDING

Active Reported in City and Suburbs

By FRANK A. LAVELLE.

REALTY sales in a part of the city have continued to show a marked improvement, and though the market is not yet fully recovered from the depression of the past few months, the tone is much better. A number of important transactions have been completed, and the market is expected to continue to improve.

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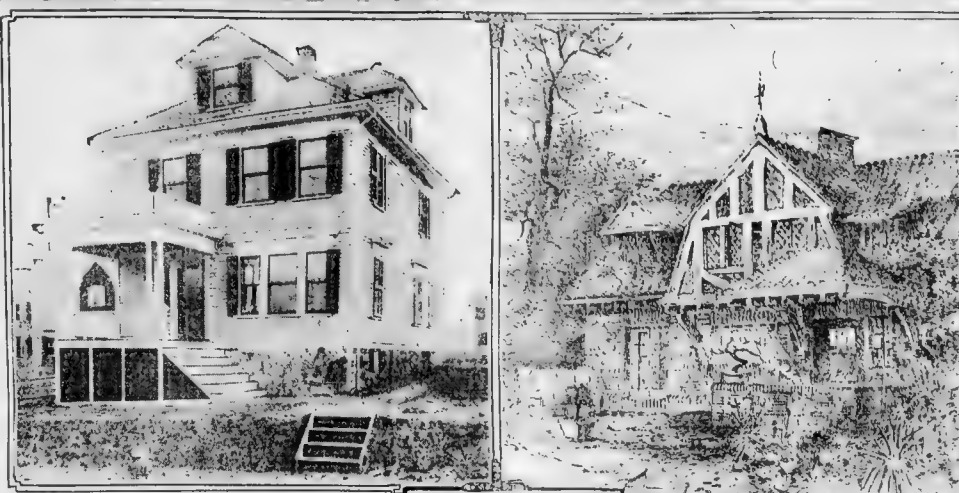
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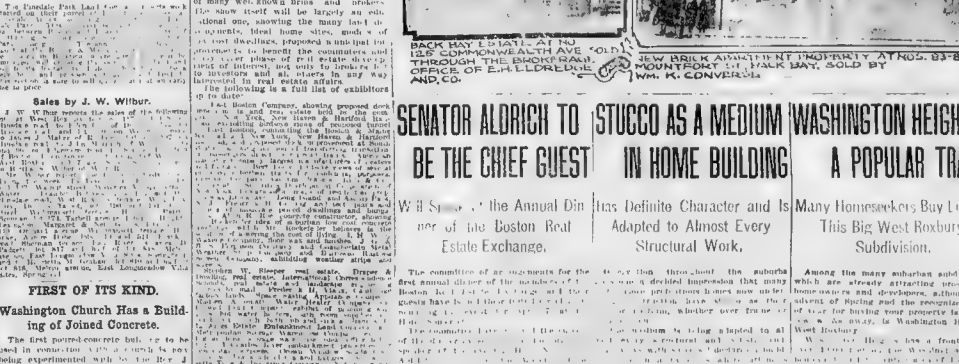
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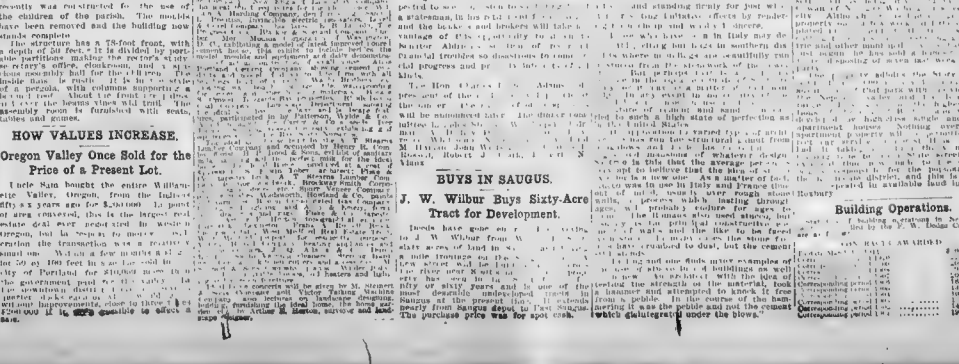
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MANY EXHIBITORS AT REAL ESTATE SHOW

Few Spaces Not Taken for the First Exposition of This Kind in Boston.

Plans for the real estate exposition on the steps of the Boston Real Estate Exchange, Horticultural Hall, April 3 to 15, are being rapidly completed, and a large number of exhibitors already arranged for the exposition that will be the first of its kind in Boston. The list of exhibitors includes many of the leading real estate firms in the city.

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FOR THE PRESIDENT
The American people are called upon to express their opinion on the question of the re-election of the President. The following are the names of the candidates for the office of President of the United States.

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Aunt Dotty
Answers All Sorts of
Foolish Questions
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Newest "Gibson Girls"

Drawn by Charles Dana Gibson
for "The Common Law" in
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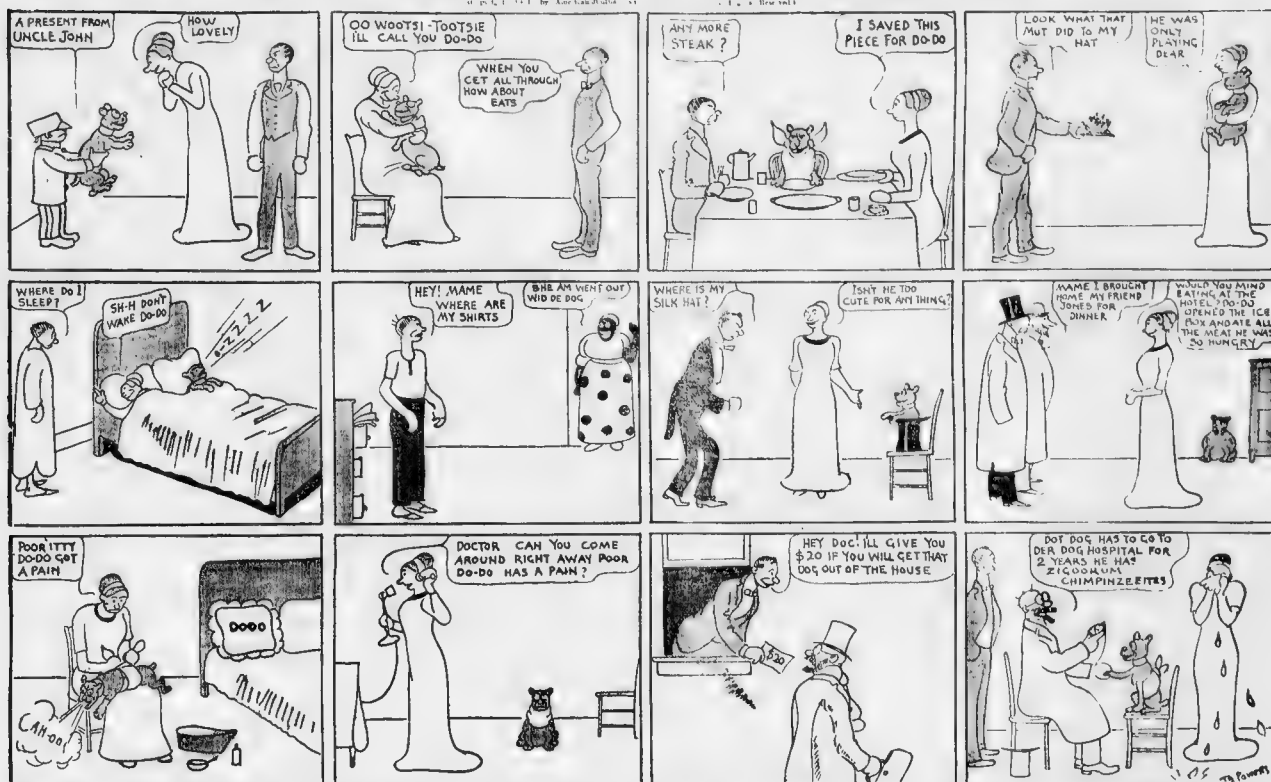
"A face tranquil, almost expressionless, save for the sensitive
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Our Moving Pictures—

Showing That Some Women Think More of Their Dogs Than They Do of Their Husbands---and They're Perfectly Right

By T. E. POWERS, the Famous Cartoonist of the Evening American



OUR COZY CORNER—Foolish Questions Answered Here

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REMEDIES FOR THE LOVE-SICK

DEAR AUNT DOTTY—I have been keeping company a long while, but he doesn't seem inclined to propose. What shall I do?

ANN SHUS.
Company, like fish, will get stale if kept too long. Throw your company out and get some new.

DEAR AUNT DOTTY—Three years ago a rich young man proposed to me by letter. I accepted and got my trousseau ready, but he hasn't mentioned marriage since, nor has he called on me for a year. Do you think he has thrown me down? What shall I do?

LONA LEE.
We cannot stop to answer your first question in our haste to answer the second. Take that letter of proposal and beat it for a lawyer. You will get your man or a big verdict.

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DEAR AUNT DOTTY—I am going with a girl who tells me she loves me, and urges me to save my money,

and shows me advertisements of furniture and flats. Do you think she will have me if I propose?

TIM IDD.
Have you? She will take you, anyway.

DEAR AUNT DOTTY—Is kissing dangerous? If you don't want to build a fire don't play with matches.

COOKING RECIPES

Conducted by Aunt Dotty

(So many requests have been made for Aunt Dotty's inimitable recipes that she herewith publishes a few.)
OYSTER BISQUE—Lead seven adult oysters out back of the barn and shoot them. After plucking them and removing the feet, parboil until they are elastic, cover with crumbly bread, garnish with dill pickles, add hot air and nerve.

STEAMED MOLASSES PUDDING—Take two cups of molasses and add in strips, butter both sides of the strips and braid them. Coil this braid around a bunch of raisins and tie with limber macaroni. Wring towels out of boiling water and apply to the pudding until steamed.

CHOCOLATE FUDGE—Take three pounds chocolate creams, make an incision at each end and blow out the cream, melt the chocolate overcoats thus secured and thicken with manila rope, chopped fine;

flavor with pickled limes and when hard lay the slab on the kitchen floor and cut into cakes with the shovel.

SHIERED EGGS—Take six denatured eggs, peel carefully, remove the yolks and baste the whites together with No. 60 cotton. Cut yolks into quarter sections and sew them to the strip of whites at regular intervals, fastening with French knots of orange silk; gather top edge with pink twine and draw to a circle; roast with caless bacon before an open gas jet.

ANSWERS AND ADVICE

DEAR AUNT DOTTY—Please tell me what you think of this:

"Oh, the sun all red as blood
Sinks with a snickering sob,
Hitting the west with a thud
And making it look like a slab."

OLIVER FRENZEE.

Our opinion, being expurgated, leaves nothing but the punctuation marks.

DEAR AUNT DOTTY—I have wrote an awful thrilling novil about a minister who could not afford to get married and preach too, and finally decided not to be and didn't. I have tried to get it printed, but the publishers are jellus and shall I keep it up or give it up! It is entitled "For the Love of Heaven."

LEMONOLA WRIGHT

For the love of heaven, Lemonola, give it up.

DEAR AUNT DOTTY—I used to work in a sausage factory but the health squad got too curious and they shut up the factory. Can't I make money easy by writing a problem novel? What is the best problem book to use as a guide?

AUSTIN SKINNER.

First Question—Any sausage maker ought to be able to write a problem novel. Second question—Greenleaf's Arithmetic.

DEAR AUNT DOTTY—I just can't help writing terrible lovely poetry. Will you tell me what meter the following sweet couplet is in?

"Now the sky is full of air
And the dead leaves seem to be falling almost every-where."

G WATER ROTTENRYMER

That Mr. Rottenrymer, is paralytic pedometer

FASHION HINTS

VELVET will be worn with the fuzzy side out this Spring.

A high tan shoe is quite stylish, providing you also wear the other one

Street skirts should come no lower than the tops of one's boots, unless one is wearing rubber boots.

Sleeves of different fabrics from the bodice are worn considerably expert with evening gowns, when the sleeves and the bodice are of the same natural material.

Because there was no little lean

And so much fat, you know,

She took the ham up to the flat

And whispered to her cousin:

"Kid, we can't have those ham and

I eggs is too much a dozen."

HIWAWHIA (Original)

"Mumchala, Mumchala!

Would that I had perished with you!"

The Parody.

Westward wandered Hiawatha,

Searching still for Mumchala,

Searching for his dusky sweetheart,

West and ever West he wandered,

Till he reached the town of Reno,

There he found his Mumchala;

She was giving him the Ha Ha,

She was drinking laughing water!

Contestants must remember to make their parodies short and to the point. They must also bear in mind that the parodies are to be on simple, familiar poems, the simpler the better.



Do you Love this old Lady?

By WILLIAM F. KIRK.

THIS great One Hundred Thousand Dollar parody contest which has been running had to be closed before St. Patrick's Day for two reasons. First, the contest was won by a German named Thomas Ratty, and no contest won by a German should be won on St. Patrick's Day. Second, Mr. Ratty refused to take the hundred thousand dollars of my good money, saying that it was too much.

Now that the greatest hot air contest of this age has become a thing of the past, the City Life Section begins a regular, business-like and attractive parody contest, under the following two simple conditions:

RULE ONE—The parodies must be written on simple poems, such as "Lucy Gray," "The Charge of the Light Brigade," "We Are Seven," "Horatius at the Bridge," "Paul Revere's Ride" and "Hiawatha."

For the best parody printed each week the City Life Section will pay whatever the editor happens to have that he doesn't want.

RULE TWO—Make the parodies short. Do not use over two or possibly three verses of any poem, no matter how long the original may be.

Many of our readers, especially the young readers, may not understand exactly what a parody is.

A parody is a set of verses patterned after a poem. The story must be different, but the form and

New Funny Parody Contest

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meter must be the same. To illustrate, the writer gives in the original some parodies, printing a verse of the original poem:

HORATIUS AT THE BRIDGE (Original).

Then up spake brave Horatius,

The captain of the gate,

"To every man upon this earth,

Death cometh soon or late.

And how can man die better

Than facing fearful odds

For the ashes of his fathers

And the temples of his gods?"

(The Parody.)

Then up spake brave Horatius,

When getting home quite late:

"Many a man upon this earth

Has trouble with the gate.



But how can man die better

In this uncertain life,

Than falling 'neath a flation

That's welded by his wife

MARY HAD A LITTLE LAMB (Original.)

Mary had a little lamb,

Its fleece was white as snow.

And everywhere that Mary went

The lamb was sure to go.

She took the lamb to school one day

It made the children laugh and play

To see the lamb at school

(The Parody.)

Mary had a little lamb,

Almost as white as snow,



IT MUST HAVE BEEN AFTER

RUSH HOURS

"I SAW by my paper this morning that 282,783,340 persons were carried in the subway."

"That's right; they were all in my car last night."

INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE BOSS.

"HELEN, what does that young man who called last night do?"
"He's a baseball player, father."

"Well, tell him to cut out his squeeze plays when he comes up here."

SOME KEEP THEIR RINGS ON.

"DEAR me," said old Fuddadaddy, "when a girl comes out 'what does she come out of?'"

"Why," explained old Simnik, "she comes out of about everything except a string of pearls!"



THOSE SIGNS.

HE took a ride down in the sub; it was the fellow's first.
He looked about and found he was with indignation.
His glance then went another way; he learned from "signs that shout."
His eyes were getting weaker and his hair was coming out.
It wasn't long until he found his teeth would soon decay.
He then discovered coffee would wear all his nerves away.
On finding next that common shoes were sure his life to check,
He gave one shriek and left the car—poor man—a yellow wreck.



Our Own Jokes

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PROGRESSING.

"HOW'S your daughter getting along in her new position?"
"Splendidly. She's only been there two weeks, and her employer has bought her lunch four times already."

EVEN ANESTHETICS WERE OF NO AVAIL.

"THEY say Mrs. Talker died in terrible agony."
"How so?"
"She realized her husband would have the last word."

WHAT HE THOUGHT.

"THE pavement in front of your house is all torn up."
"I know it; they are going to relay the paving."
"Oh, I thought perhaps you had dropped a nickel."

AND SHE MADE SURE HE DIDN'T.

"MARY is the foxy girl."
"What has she done now?"
"Told Harold he might kiss her if he would stop smoking."
"What is there foxy about that?"
"She knew he never stop smoking."

A NECESSARY CHANGE.

"WIKY, Mabely, you're a blonde now."
"Yes, father traded our brown auto for a yellow one."

THE POINT OF VIEW.

MISS YELLOWLEAF—"I am proud to be able to say that no man has ever kissed me."
Miss Peachleigh—"I wouldn't boast of my unpopularity if I were you."



JUST WIND.

THE north wind blows, And so does Brown. About his new machine. The wind can't help it, Nor can Brown. He's full of gasoline.



"B LINKSON got a tobacco-jar the other day."
"From his wife?"
"No; from his doctor. He told him he'd have to stop smoking."

MUST BE FOURTEEN.

"THEY say she still plays with her dolls."
"My goodness, how silly! Why, she's old enough now to be smoking cigarettes."

"BUNKER gave a Chanticleer tea the other afternoon."
"What did they have for refreshments?"
"Charlotte roosters and chocolate egg layers."

GO WEST, YOUNG MEN!

"THAT burlesque troupe will make a hit in Missouri."
"How?"
"Showing 'em."



SPRING FASHION HINTS.

The fashion of wearing a smart price tag on one's coat for a day or two after purchasing new clothes continues to be popular with absentminded men.

The same air of complacency should be worn with a hired dress suit as with one that you own yourself or owe your tailor for.

The perfect gentleman will always wear garters unless he possesses sufficient will power to keep his socks up without their aid.

Collars that button easily and ties that always slip smoothly under the collar have gone almost entirely out of use.

With the cost of food products so high, it is considered vulgar ostentation for a gentleman to wear egg or other traces of his morning repast on his waistcoat.

Ready-made ties are very few except for men who have to catch the 7:43 every morning and never wake up until 7:25.

They that are Christmas gifts from relatives are rarely worn more than once or twice, and then only on informal occasions, such as fixing the furnace, shovelling snow, etc.

In the temporary absence of one's watch or diamond ring it is not in good taste to let the ticket protrude even slightly from the pocket.

By Wex Jones.

Commuters That Bloom in the Spring

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the ear after the rattle of fat wheels on the L. Arrival at charming bungalow. After dinner a rest on the porch overlooking the magnificent Lookamook Valley—or beautiful Lake Kokomoko—or the broad expanse of the Atlantic. Visit to the country club, where sympathetic neighbors listen to your views on civic improvement, municipal conversation and the proper way to dig the Panama Canal. Awake in the morning after a refreshing sleep, and with renewed energy set forth for the city. Every one has some such idea in the Spring, but, unfortunately, only a few stick to the idea long enough to realize it. The commuter goes: Garden full of self-sprouting cabbage, strawberries and other fruits at the back of the house. In front, a garden full of natural flowers that look as pretty and are almost as lasting as the artificial kind.

Meek-eyed cow, giving copious supplies of milk, butter, milk, cream and so forth. Why must a meek-eyed cow be specified? Who ever saw one with an arrogant eye? Seems to us a cow with her fat face and foolish nose would have an awful job to look proud, and if she succeeded, every one would laugh anyway, for what has a cow to be proud of? Automatic heater, hatching, rearing, killing and picking broilers for the family table. Fast-growing vines and creepers, intelligent enough, with a little training to form fragrant mosquito netting across the windows. A repeating moon, which floods the vistas with silver light, not only when it's full but when it's getting over it. But alas! with the approach of Summer, the commuter forgets his dreams and continues to wonder why his neighbor has plenty of strawberries growing in his garden, while he himself has to pack boxes of them home from the city. And yet the association of commuters are doing some great work. As is well known, the principal labor of the commuter is carrying bundles, how many associations have issued compendious books of rules for carrying all possible kinds of parcels. They have also issued large tin labels which the commuter may affix to his packages, labels such as:

EGGS	PILS	FRESH FISH
Please do not kick or throw around	Not to be eaten upon	Use no hooks

In addition to protecting the contents of the parcels to some extent, these signs save each commuter a great deal of explaining. No longer does the man who lives across the street from his suit down beside him in the car and say, "What you got in the parcel?" Or, if he does, there is no need for reply. He is simply showing the handy label. But, after all, there is no time like Spring for the commuter—or for any one else. Every one is happy when they're dreaming, unless, of course, they've eaten too much lobster.



Mirandy On Title Hunting—By Dorothy Dix

"WELL," says he do odder night, as he laid down his paper and pushed his specs up on the top of his hair, "there's de account of how another one of dem bogus lawds has done did easiely. My land, de fo' hundred must be de fo' hundred easiest marks in de world! All dat a furrier needs to have 'em take him to deir breast, an' told him around in deir automobiles, an' feed him, an' lend him money, is a fur overcoat, an' one of dese beak single barrel eye glasses, an' to fix up some sort of handle to his name."
"I specs dat whar dey comes from, when business is bad in de barber shop, Giuseppe throws down his razor, an' takes off his white jacket, an' says to de man at de next chair."
"No mo' shaves an' hair cuts for me. I've gwine to hike out de States an' marry a millionairess!"
"Dat lawd, Giuseppe," says his partner, "but how is you gwine to pull it off?"
"Oh, dat's a cinch," says Giuseppe, twirling his mustache. "I knows a printer around de corner dat'll strike me off two hundred 'vins' cards wid 'Count Spaghetti' on 'em for two bits, an' dat's all dat I'll need to open de do' of de rich an' haughty in America for me."
"But you ain't got no 'ristocratic manners," says his partner.
"De mo' I'll look lak de real thing," says Giuseppe.
"Wid dat Giuseppe hotfoot it his across to New York, an' de next news we knows he's arrivin' at de finest hotels an' 'a-touch-in' up de swell for loans, an' wid de women a-dittin' over him to see which one will git de honor of marryin' him, an' he most generally lives on de fat of de land for about two years befo' anybody wakes up enough to see who he is, an' whar he come from, an' what right he has got to dem entitlements he bears."
"Tassie, bein' a furria nobelman in New York has got de shell game shined, an' all folks will fall for him dat farmers will for guinea's de beans at a country fair, till's a po' season, when de huntin' is bad, when de porridge don't run in some head

waiter, or butcher, or cab driver from Yerrup dat's been sittin' in de lap of de swell whilit dey thought dat dey was 'nussin' one of de nobilit', an' was bustin' wid pride dat he condescended to make use of 'em."

"Ef de fool killer hadn't gone out of business dere wouldn't be a single ordinary woman left alive in de world," mottoes the. "All you got to do is to waste a title in front of any of 'em an' dey takes leave of what little senses dey has got an' goes down before him."

"Till," says I, "whit you is meanin' dem remarks about women's love of titles, don't you forget dat bit is de man dat puts up de money for 'em. Deir ain't never a one of dem matches wid furrin noblemen dat de gal's par couldn't abrope off ef he'd des snapped by his pocketbook, an' said his name's not worth a cent."

"He's de gal's par couldn't abrope off ef he'd des snapped by his pocketbook, an' said his name's not worth a cent."

he gits is to be sort of step-kid to de honor, bit looks lak to me dat he was mo' not on de title dan de gal is."

A First Reader for Second Childhood

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"THE TELE-PHONE GIRL."
HELLO, what have we here? A Tel-e-phon Girl, Child-re. She is the Sas-y Thing at the Other End. She is full of Hel-los and Sting-ing Re-pa-tes. The Tel-e-phon Girl is the Sweet-Voi-ced Thing with the De-mon-i-cal Laugh who keeps us shout-ing "Hel-lo-hello-hello—!" and so forth for Fif-teen Min-utes and then asks Cheer-ful-ly "Wait-in?" or Num-ber-ly? Then she gives us our Par-ty and Cuts Us Off in the most Ex-cit-ing part of the Scand-al. If we Pro-test she then Calls us Down and that is all there is to it. By all means, Girls, be-come Tel-e-phon Op-er-a-tors, get Sas-y and Hear What is Go-ing On.



"THE SPOT."
O H, Child-re, de you not see the Big Spot on the Cel-ing? Is it not a nice, Qui-et, Black Spot, a-bout as large as the Wart on Wil-lie's Thumb? What do you think the Spot is? A Free-co or part of a Da-do? No, no, Lit-tle

One, it is Nei-ther of them; it is a Poor Lit-tle Fly! Is the Fly dead? Hush! No in-deed, not Dead but Sleep-ing. And in the Glad-some Spring that Cute Lit-tle Spot will a-waken, stretch it-self, and fall, Ker-plash, right in-to Pa-pa's Soup! Now isn't that Gor-ge-ous?

"THE LA-DY CLERK."

LIT-TLE won-der who ask, my Child-re, you this Dis-dain-ful Cra-cke is. She is a La-dy Clerk. Do you not know about the La-dy Clerk? No? Well, she is a Per-son who stands be-hind De-part-ment Store coun-ters and Dis-cuss-es Last Night's An-nual Ball while you wait For-ty-eight Min-utes for her to See you. She is hav-ing a Chin Wag-ging Con-Test with a noth-er La-dy Clerk. She sees you but she Saw you First, so she will Take her Time, also your Time, and the Pro-pri-ety's Time. By-and-by she will Glare at you and tel you thea—a—under-vests are in the Base-ment when they are on the Fourth Floor.



"You are a mighty po', rusty, sludgy, weak-eyed, knock-kneed, on-cery looking sort of a cuss to me," thinks de father to his self, "an' I don't know what Mand Ge-al-dine sees in you to make her want you, but, howsoever, women is curious critters, an' dere's no accountin' for taste, but befo' I says 'Bless you, my children,' I'll sorter prognosticate around about you some." Den he says to de man:
"I ain't a wishin' to pry into yo' business too much, but befo' I gives my daughter to you I'd lak to know how your moral character grades up."
"Mum's de word," says de man; "de less you say about my moral char. But as how she is young, an' pretty, an' accomplished, an' good, I'll make you a cut rate an' marry her for three million dollars, cash on de nail, says de father."
"Now, if dat was an American name dat said dem words to de father you could hear him kickin' de young fellow all de way down de street, but whin de same sort of a little startin' wid a little makin' de same oder de father jumps at hit an' draws out his check book."
"We all is sort of doped by de sound of a title," says I.



MERMAID-THE TRUSTING WIFE

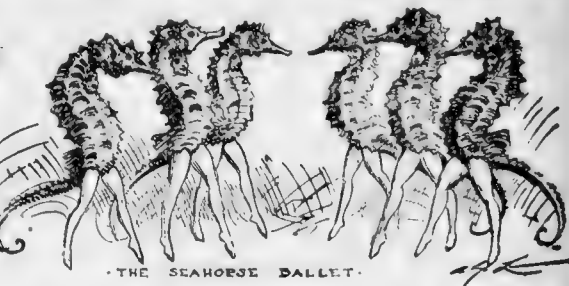
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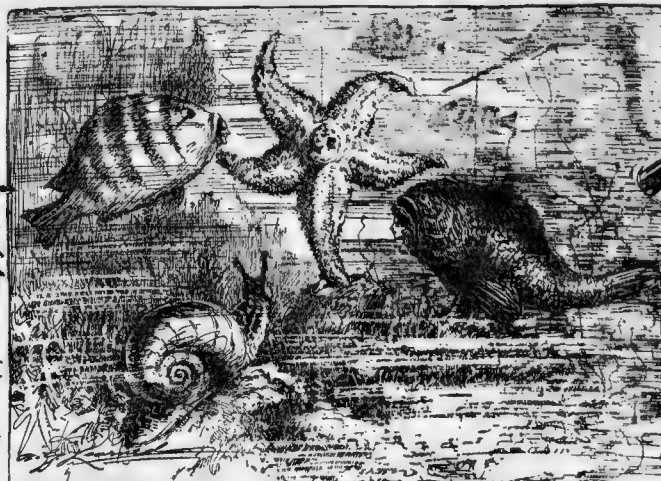
Now for a Wild
Ocean Drama,
Whereof the
Actors Are Crabs,
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Suckers, Shrimps
and Funny Fishes

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CRAZ- IER THAN CHANTECLER.

SEA URCHIN
THE
INGENUE

THE SEAHORSE DALLIT

THE GREAT LOVE SCENE IN THE SECOND ACT
STAGION AT THE LEADING LADY

Arthur G. Learned, the artist, offers some unique ideas for a deep-sea spectacle such as will, we assume, be seen shortly at our leading theatres, after the animals and birds have had their vogue. Mr. Learned has not completed the details of the aqua drama, but

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says that the acrobatic work will be done by flounders. Hela will appear in Oriental dances, sardines in the can-can and clams in the pantomime. We think this would be a whale of a show and that the sharks on the sidewalks outside would do a rushing business.

"I SEE BY THE PAPERS"—By Aaron Hoffman

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A DETROIT man who lost his nose in a railroad accident is suing the company for ten thousand dollars damages.

He will be lucky if he gets a cent.

THEY are settling the question as to whether the harem skirt shall be called "it" or "they." Naturally, opinion is "divided."

A GERMAN statistic expert has made a study of marriage proposals wherefrom he calculates that 24 per cent. of the suitors press the hand of their beloved; 24 per cent. conclude their speech with an embrace; 4 per cent. kiss the hand; 2 per cent. fall on their knees, and 20 per cent. swallow nervously before they declare their passion; 12 per cent. open and close their mouths without being able to say a word, and 2 per cent. make their proposal while standing on one foot.

An American, not quite an expert, has also made a study of marriage proposals. He calculates that 50 per cent. of the suitors are accepted the first time they propose; 40 per cent. are accepted the second time, and 10 per cent. after proposing more than once. And the other 10 per cent. are lucky.

THE California State Board of Health has fixed the value of a baby less than a year old at four thousand dollars. Professor Carver of Harvard takes issue with this valuation and declares that a baby isn't worth twenty dollars as an investment.

Of course, we don't want to get mixed up in any controversy on this matter, but we think that the price of a baby depends a whole lot upon whose baby it is. It is your baby, four thousand dollars seems a very, very insignificant sum, but if it's the neighbor's baby, at 2 o'clock in the morning, the price of twenty dollars would seem to be enormous.

There happens to be one in the next flat to use a young one. For that sort of baby we think a nickel a dozen would be an exorbitant price.

WOMAN in a two thousand dollar damage suit for injury to limb, refused to exhibit the evidence. The case was tried in St. Louis, and the defendant's attorney being from as well as in Missouri wanted to show.

Although the lady refused to offer the limb as testimony to the jury, nevertheless she was indignant when her attorney objected to its introduction on the grounds that it was "incompetent," "irrelevant" and "immoral."

Incompetency thy name is woman!

My lady refuses to display for two thousand dollars in a law suit what she is pleased to show for nothing to a bathing suit.

A PARIS professor says that we can all remain young forever by eating radium. Good! But it brings little hope to most of us who desire perpetual youth. Before we could save enough money to buy the first bits we'd die of old age.

Of course, it's fine for the billionaires; perhaps they can afford to sit down and dine on radium. So we may expect soon to see radium take its place on the menus of our swill restaurants. Imagine the water coming up to the billionaire and saying, "How do you like your radium, on caennole or à la Newburg?"

Imagine the busy millionaire in the middle of the day ringing for the office boy and saying, "Boy, here's twenty million dollars; run down to the restaurant and bring me a radium sandwich!"

But it would be great if we could all afford to keep young on radium. Just think, any time that you felt that you were getting old you could walk into a restaurant, sit down, eat your radium, get young and then, to top the water, just give him a crumb.

Radium must be great stuff if one could of it can make you young. But still, what's the use of going to all that expense to be made young when we are people every day go into a restaurant, have a course of drinks, and when they get old, they may not look younger, but they begin to get childish.

LAST week, St. Louis was entertained by a unique divorce suit. A Mrs. Pickle applied for a separation from Mr. Pickle. As was expected when the case of "Pickle versus Pickle" was called some of the evidence proved to be rather spicy. Mrs. Pickle accused Pickle of being sweet on someone else, and Pickle attempted to prove that it was impossible for a Pickle to be sweet to anybody.

Among the witnesses was the defendant's brother, Dilworth Pickle, familiarly known, we suppose, as Bill Pickle.

A great deal of sympathy was expressed for Mrs. Pickle when the fact was brought out that during the first few weeks of married life he called her Vinio Pickle, which he very shortly changed to Vinegar Pickle.

In his own defence Pickle declared that it was impossible to live with Mrs. Pickle because her disposition was too sour, so Mr. and Mrs. Pickle found themselves in a pretty pickle.

Mrs. Pickle introduced testimony that her husband, Pickle, would come home every night pickled. Mr. Pickle on the other hand contended that no one had a better right to come home soured in his own liquor than a pickle.

THEY say that the American grand opera "Natom" has proven once for all the futility of grand opera in English. From all accounts the singers are just as unintelligible in English as if they were singing Italian or French. Therefore the consensus of opinion in musical circles is that no further "Natom" should be made to do grand opera in English. We fall to see the soundness of this view. It might be just as well to make grand opera unintelligible; they might as well be unintelligible in English as in any other language. When they are singing songs in English there is always a chance that the singer might get themselves some night and make themselves understood.

It is a peculiar thing that as soon as a vocalist begins the study of music the first thing he is taught is how to pronounce the language so no one can understand it. Of course, it may be all right, and bad pronunciation may be necessary to produce good music, but it seems that anybody with a good pronunciation who pays a fellow five dollars an hour to lose it is getting stuck.

"Natom" hasn't proven that the English language is a failure as a grand opera medium, because from all reports it is what the singers in that production are using in English, we haven't lost the language before.

A COLLIERIE professor says that "mummy million dollar personalities are wasting their lives on thousand dollar incomes." Doubtless. But judging from the tips we are hanging around the stage doors all night, cuts there are many two for a cent personalities wasting their lives on million dollar incomes.

It's a strange paradox that every millionaire's son who hasn't brains enough to conduct a business, considers himself wise enough to handle a chorus girl.

PRESIDENT TAFT has called a special session of Congress to convene April 4. He expects the new Congress to be better than the old one.

Poor Taft. If he had called the next meeting April 1 we would have more confidence in his discernment.

THE City Fathers have added that more legible street signs are needed.

One night last week a policeman went down the wrong street by mistake and ran into a burglar and had to arrest him.

THEY have passed a law in Brockton forbidding the use of the expression, "Oh, you kid" on the streets.

It will be a severe blow to Brockton gallantry. Deprived of the power to "Oh, you kid" a girl as she passes, what mess of attacking the feminine heart

is left to the chivalrous gang that congregates in front of the clear stars?

In the social life of most communities "Oh, you kid" has played an important part. When a fellow desired to make the acquaintance of a young lady it wasn't necessary to search for a mutual acquaintance or go through any of the other intricacies of an introduction; all he had to do was to look boldly in her eyes, take his cigarette out of his mouth and say "Oh, you kid," and that sprightly remark served not only as an introduction, but as a guarantee of his social facilities.

GREAT reports from the Spring training camps from all ballparks next year should be the most wonderful in the history of the game. From reports thus far received at the end of the season there will be exactly sixteen teams for the pennant.

"THEIR are two kinds of men in the world, gentlemen and runts." I'm a gentleman and you're a runt.

"How do you make that out?" When we met that crowd in the Touraine last night, when you who said, 'Come on, fellows, let's all have a drink'—

"I did."

"Well, that proves you're a runt."

"Sure I said that, but who paid for the drinks?"

In the midst of the excitement at over the League case Senator Bailey forgot himself and remarked: "No wonder, however, as it was pointed out to him what a blessing he had conferred upon the American people by resigning he immediately recovered his presence of mind and recalled his resignation."

That, it may be, Bailey has something to boast of in spite of his record he will always be able to look back upon the time when, for a number of hours, he made really millionaires the hapless people on earth.

IT'S too bad that Congress cannot meet during Lent. Can you imagine what they would make everybody give up.

THE Department of Agriculture, after a series of experiments, says that cheese is good food.

Perhaps. But the last session of Congress was the biggest piece of cheese we ever had to swallow and we got very little nutriment out of it.

"SO Jack is quite wealthy, is he?"

"Well, in Wyoming he is worth a thousand dollars."

"How's that?"

"That's what the State offered for him dead or alive."



The Man Who Sat Beside Her---A PATHETIC REAL-LIFE ECHO

FARNUM, a grim, relentless expression upon his face, turned to his office boy. "Run out and get a policeman, Johnny," he commanded.

The girl who sat in his private office, her hands covering her face, her slight figure shaken by great sobs of shame and despair, jumped to her feet at these words and ran towards him, her arms extended beseechingly.

"No, no, Mr. Farnum," she gasped. "Not this--please not this. Don't have me arrested. The disgrace will ruin my life. For God's sake, don't send for the police."

The expression upon Farnum's austere face did not change. "You are a thief," he said, harshly, "and it is my duty to hand you over to the law. If you were a poor girl, driven to crime by stern necessity, I might overlook your offense; but I am paying you a good salary, you dress well and there are diamonds on your fingers which must have cost several hundred dollars. Therefore your act was quite inexcusable and I am determined to have you punished."

"I--I didn't mean to steal," she stammered. "I just couldn't help it. It is the first time in my life that I have ever stolen anything, and I can't understand what made me do it. It was an ungovernable impulse. I really didn't realize what I was doing."

Farnum smiled cynically. "I have no patience with that kind of talk, Miss Packard. I am quite sure that you thoroughly realized what you were doing. The only thing that you did not realize was that your guilt was bound to be discovered. If you could have got safely out of my office, this evening, with my property intact, you would have been a thief. I suppose which, you say, prompted you to steal would have prompted you to keep it."

He turned impatiently to the office boy who had lingered in the doorway to await the result of the girl's appeal for mercy. "Why don't you go and get that policeman?" he snapped. "Must I tell you twice?"

She sobbed out of the office and five minutes later returned with a blue coat at his heels.

"Officer," said Farnum, "this young woman is my stenographer. During my absence from the office this morning she stole this diamond earring from that pigeon hole in my desk. It was found in

her handbag, and she admits her guilt. I wish to press a charge of larceny against her."

When they reached the police station and the unfortunate young woman had been led to a cell, Farnum turned to the man behind the desk, who was in the act of placing the diamond earring in a stout manila envelope.

"I beg your pardon, Lieutenant," he said, "but can't I take my property with me?"

The police official shook his head. "You see, it's evidence, sir, and we've got to keep it until the case is disposed of."

"But I bought it as present for a young lady," protested Farnum, "and to-morrow is the day I was to give it, you know. If you keep it here until this case is over it will be a pretty tardy gift."

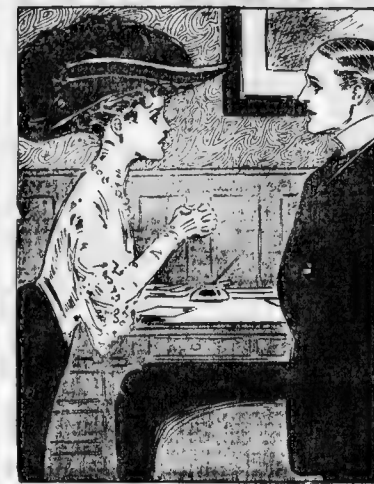
"Too bad, sir," rejoined the lieutenant, sympathetically, "but no doubt the lady won't mind waiting if you explain the circumstances to her."

As Farnum walked back to his office he said to himself, "I wonder what Florence will say when I explain the circumstances to her. I wonder if she will agree that I did the right thing in having that young woman arrested? Florence has a tender heart, and I suppose she will tell me that I was unnecessarily harsh. She will argue that as long as I got my property back I ought to have let the matter drop. I think I did right, however. It's one's duty to society to hand over a thief to justice. A man who will condone a crime is a pretty poor sort of a citizen; and besides, if I had let Miss Packard go free, in all probability my clerical work would have encouraged her to steal again. Whenever tempted, however, now, she will not doubt be taught a lesson that will cause her to remain honest for the rest of her life."

A very hard, narrow, Protestant young man was Farnum's appeal for mercy. He went to show; but he was no hypocrite. He would have died at the stake rather than have told a lie himself, and he hated liars and thieves with a fierce, intolerant hatred.

It was because he believed that Florence Maxwell was the most upright, truth-loving young woman he had ever met that he had fallen in love with her and asked her to be his wife.

He had first met her at a notable of an



up-town church, where he was the leader of the young men's Bible class. She was a good-looking young woman, but it had been the beauty of her character and not her physical beauty which had attracted him. If she had been as homely as sin he would have fallen in love with her just the same and just as quickly.

There was an unoccupied seat beside her and he eagerly made for it, running a frantic race with five other men and winning by such a scant margin that his present competitor sat on his lap, under the impression that he had won the contest.

When he had dislodged this intruder, Farnum, flushed with victory, turned to the girl at his side.

"Why, Florence," he said, his austere face breaking into a joyous smile, "this is indeed an unexpected pleasure. I did not expect to see you before this evening. What are you doing downtown?"

The girl's face was very white, and her eyes looked as if she had been recently weeping; but Farnum did not notice these symptoms, nor the fact that she did not

appear to reciprocate his joy at their chance meeting.

The girl smiled faintly without speaking. A stout, red-faced man with a close-cropped black mustache and a brown derby hat pulled down low on his forehead, who sat on the other side of Florence, leaned over her and stared at Farnum for a brief instant, then lolled back in his seat.

"I have bought you a little token," went on Farnum to Florence. "I had hoped to bring it to you when I called on you to-night, but I am afraid, dear, that I shall have to ask you to wait for a day or so. Your gift is now in a drawer of the lieutenant's desk at the police station," he explained, with a smile.

"You remember that we were engaged, Florence, in learning how it got there, and I hope you will approve of my action in the matter. I feel sure that I did right. A woman who steals is a disgrace to her sex and deserves to be punished."

Once more the stout man with the brown derby leaned over the girl and stared into the face of Farnum. He appeared to the latter's astonishment to be about to say something, for his mouth half opened; but he closed it again without uttering a word and once more sank back into his seat.

"You remember that new stenographer I hired last week, Florence?" went on Farnum, not noticing how strangely silent the girl remained. "She has turned out to be a thief. She stole your present from my desk this morning. I have had her arrested."

The girl at his side gave a little gasp and, taking this as an indication of disapproval, Farnum declared dogmatically, "I suppose you will say that I was too harsh, but the young woman's conduct was inexcusable. She had no reason to steal."

"What explanation did she offer?" asked Florence, speaking for the first time.

Farnum smiled cynically. "She gave me the usual nonsense about kleptomania; said that she didn't realize what she was doing. She spoke about an ungovernable impulse. Such talk makes me very tired. A thief always realizes what he or she is doing. Don't you think so, Florence?"

Once more the stout, red-faced man in the brown derby leaned over and gave Farnum another one of those queer looks.

The latter frowned. "That fellow on your left seems to be taking a surprising interest in our conversation," he remarked, in a tone intended to be loud enough to reach the stout man's ears.

"Don't you think that I did right in having that young woman arrested?" he went on. "Do you suppose that one should ever show mercy to a thief?"

"Perhaps she really couldn't help it," said the girl, in a queer, strained voice. "Perhaps it really was kleptomania, Tom. There is such a thing. There is an uncontrollable impulse which makes us--" "Ah--a few stationers further on," stammered the girl.

Farnum squeezed her hand tenderly. There was not time for many more words. "Well, good-bye, I'll see you to-night. I'll be around early. Take care of yourself." With another tender squeeze of her hand and a resentful glare at the stout, red-faced man on the other side of his fiancée, Farnum rushed out of the car just as the guard was about to slam the door.

At the next station the stout, red-faced man with the brown derby hat pulled down low over his forehead, arose to his feet lumberingly and placed a large hand familiarly on the girl's slender shoulder.

"Come on, miss," he said. "This is where we get off."

Trembling, she arose and walked by his side out of the car. They went downstairs to the street and entered a patrol wagon, thence going to the Charlesworth Jail.

"There's a prisoner for shopping," said the stout, red-faced man to a man in blue uniform at the door. "Another one of these lady kleptomaniacs. Lift her, though, and dollar diamond earring from the jewelry counter at Siegmund's."

And the door of a cell closed upon Farnum's fiancée.

GOOD STORIES

His Mistake

A story from the Hawkins street "hotel," where the down and out brigade get a night's lodging.

THEY were right before sleep had lulled all sounds in one of the big dormitories, I heard a number of fellows discussing how they had been up against it this winter.

"Here's a piece of hard luck that I run into last week," said one.

"Jumped a train at Springfield last one night and piled into a flat car that was loaded with hard coal."

So was cold that I didn't get any sleep to speak of and my back was ached by the impressions that the pieces of coal made in it. When day light came I found that every other coal of that train was loaded with soft coal. Pretty tough, wasn't it?"

Knew His Choice

By a Boyston Street Model.

LIZABETH V. V. tells women how to dress tastefully by displaying some pretty gowns made off by living models and a young husband and his bride were in the audience. Some of the models gathered on the stage at one time, and the young wife surveyed their gowns critically.

"Which one do you like the best?" she asked. The young husband is still explaining for his answer was: "That little brunette."

Cupid the Best Little Heart Mender



CONFESSIONS OF A HUB MARRIED MAN

SOME men get married and then think but there's others who think and then don't get married. Unfortunately I was never a rapid thinker. The truth is I never thought I would come to get married, and I didn't "come to" until afterward.

After she had told me that we were engaged, I found that even the faithful day had been set, so I spent all my spare time trying to rouse my fighting blood to a point where I could resist the enemy. It was all to no purpose; the best I could accomplish was to raise sufficient courage to meet my fiancée like a hero. Unfortunately I had told her one of two words to make me happy. She said the wrong one.

The preparations went along merrily--according to the young lady, I took no part in the matter except to buy the wedding ring. Now the only difference between a wedding ring and a prize ring is that with a prize ring the rounds are unlimited. With a wedding ring the fight is to the finish. My best man tried to

cheer me up. Best man, of course! He's the one who isn't going to marry! The calamitous day dawned, and when we arrived at the church I advanced to the side of the man who was to referee the fight and waited for the first round to open. I had not long to wait. The wedding march struck up, and I saw my beloved--the woman I had loved since she was arms outstretched, in all her glory.

The bride is usually led to the altar, I believe, but in this case it was different--she could have found her way to the altar by the side of the man who was to referee the fight and waited for the first round to open. I had not long to wait. The wedding march struck up, and I saw my beloved--the woman I had loved since she was arms outstretched, in all her glory.

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I felt a sincere sorrow for the youthful couples congregated there. The young men, pale, with set features and staring eyes; the young girls, blushing, but with a look of defiance in their eyes; and the bridesmaids, who were to referee the fight and waited for the first round to open. I had not long to wait. The wedding march struck up, and I saw my beloved--the woman I had loved since she was arms outstretched, in all her glory.

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My wife is so tall that if she fell down while shopping, she would be half way home. I distinctly remember a cold in the back which came on her in December as the direct result of wet feet the previous April. She is also exceptionally thin--so thin that when she takes a bath for safety, she is invariably getting out of the tub before pulling the plug.

I used to say that she was beautiful, but I have since joined the church.

The doctor says that with her complexion she ought to take a long walk so she ought--and never came back. Her face would break the Sabbath, yet there are times when it assumes an expression that is almost human.

She is also very vain. Give her a red petticoat and fancy hose and she doesn't care which way the wind blows. Why the only way to kill her vanity is to kill her, and then it's dollars to doughnuts that she would be wondering if the shroud fitted.

I soon began to realize that I had set a pace in my love letters that it would be impossible to follow in fact. I went on

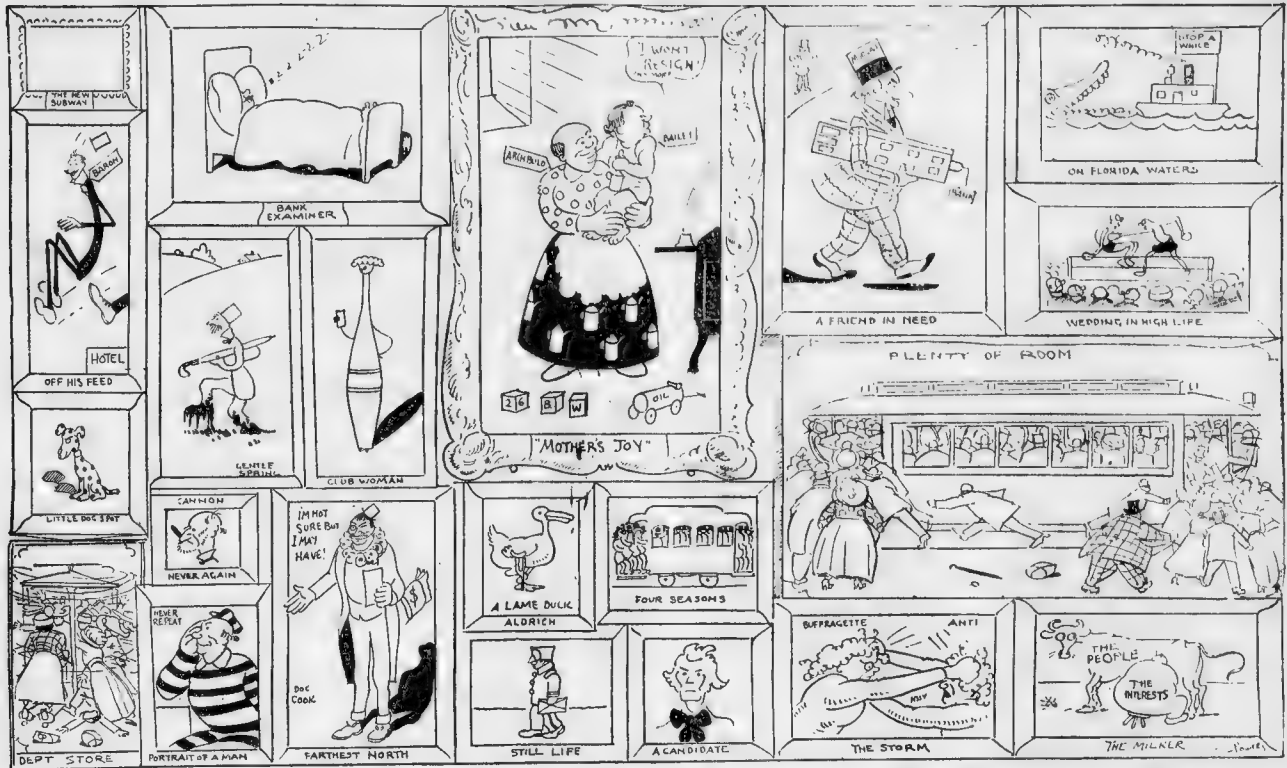
our honeymoon alone. I knew she couldn't afford to have us both go, anyway.

Upon my return I found my wife extremely irritable and disagreeable. When I chided her for it she replied in a tear-stained accent that it was because she had been homesick. Then the fun commenced and I got mine. It reminded me of the night we were married--only satirical and crockery took the place of rice and old shoes. My wife seemed to think that somehow I was different toward her since my return. She was wrong. I was not different--only indifferent.

Wife had always claimed to be a woman of few words, but I soon found out that she could work overtime on those few. During our courtship we argued--now that we are married, we quarrel. She is a very well informed woman; I can only account for it by the fact that our cook has lived with all the other families in town.

But with all my wife's varied assortment of knowledge, she has never been able to explain why I ever married her. This remains the one great mystery of my life.

Our Private Exhibit == Rejected by the Hanging Committee at the Spring Exhibition



COMEDIANS' CHATTER HEARD ON THE STAGE

"I WAS walking along a country road the other day and a bee lit on my lip."
"Did he hurt you when he bit?"
"No, he didn't hurt me when he bit; but, oh, man, when he SAT DOWN!"

"NOW, I am going to introduce you to some swell people and I want you to act polite. Make 'em think you are someone big. Talk like a duke; that's the thing to do, talk like a duke."
"All right. You introduce me and I'll ask one of 'em for a dime, and—"
"If you do, you'll disgrace me."
"Well, didn't you tell me to talk like a DUKE?"

"I'M going to give an imitation of the Salvation Army."
"How are you going to do that?"
"I'm going to walk on my heels."
"What's that got to do with it?"
"It'll save my soles."

SWOR AND MACK.

"WHAT'S the latest from Jim Jazzer?"
"He's taking piano lessons."
"How is he making out?"
"Oh, he's getting along all right on the white keys, but he can't do a thing with the darkeys."

"THAT'S a bad joke. If you sprang that in Revere you'd get hung. You know when they hang a man in Revere they hang a jackass with him."
"Then it's lucky neither of us is there."

HARVEY DE VORA TRIO.

"I WAS ashamed of you when you used that fat man's tooth brush on the train this morning."
"How was I to know it was his? I thought it belonged to the company."

"HAVE you ever been held up by a stage robber?"
"Once, when I took a chorus girl out to dinner."

MARSHALL MONTGOMERY.

"MY father is a millionaire. He owns a lot of aeroplanes, and I am wondering if he should die whether I'd be his heir-apparent."

"HELL, never make a success as a highwayman."
"Why not?"
"Last night he held up two actors and a newspaper."

FRED DUPREZ.

"DO you see that woman? Well, she is the banana peel on the threshold of discretion."

"I LIKE all the strolls with the girls you like, but keep away from the church aisles. Matrimony is a long, long walk."

From "JUMPING JUPITER."

"MY father was a great actor. He always took drunkards on. The only trouble was that he was always rehearsing."

"BEFORE he became an actor he was a clerk in a drug store. A woman came into the store one day and asked for some sulphur. Father did it up and passed it to her, saying:
"Ten cents, please."

"Ten cents!" exclaimed the woman. "Why, I know where I can get that much sulphur for five cents!"
"Then father told her where she could get it for nothing."

LADDIE CLIFF.

"I'M sorry about 'Chisamen.'"
"What's that?"
"They're the only people on earth who have their head and tail on one end."

"WHY did the alchemists speak of bank wreckers?"
"Robin as 'almond-eyed' Robin?"
"Because they claimed he was nutty."

Miracles vs. Faith--By Those Funny Men, Raymond and Caverly

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RAYMOND—Who gates, Julius, Vat have you been doing lately?

CAVERLY—I got me a new chob.

RAYMOND—Vat doing?

CAVERLY—Working on the trolley cars.

RAYMOND—Vat do you do?

CAVERLY—I holt up the passengers!

RAYMOND—Oh! You vas the conductor?

CAVERLY—I shouldn't be surprised.

RAYMOND—You hat to belong to a union.

Yes?

CAVERLY—Sure, Union depot.

RAYMOND—Who pays you your wages, the company?

CAVERLY—No, the passengers.

RAYMOND—Vell, don't you work for your salary?

CAVERLY—No, us commission.

RAYMOND—Give me an callousment!

CAVERLY—Sure, vat you want from me?

RAYMOND—If you took in one dollar, how much do you get?

CAVERLY—I get a dollar and five cents.

RAYMOND—How can you get more than you took in?

CAVERLY—Dot's the interest.

RAYMOND—Vat interest?

CAVERLY—The interest I took in my position.

RAYMOND—Vas you ever caught knocking down?

CAVERLY—Only once.

RAYMOND—How did it end out?

CAVERLY—The fellow I knocked down told the company.

RAYMOND—You afraid the company 'll get on?

CAVERLY—No! The passengers are the only ones that can get on.

RAYMOND—Vas you collect the fares, don't you ring the bell?

CAVERLY—Sure, it's my bell.

RAYMOND—I don't understand myself.

CAVERLY—I got a bell in my pocket.

RAYMOND—Vat is that got to do with it?

CAVERLY—Overriding. You see, it's a ringer for the other one.

RAYMOND—You are liable to get arrested and go to jail.

CAVERLY—You mean 'Charlston'. That's 'sare the gratters on.

RAYMOND—Suppose a man gets on a car and he has no money to pay his fare, vat do you do?

CAVERLY—I kick him off.

RAYMOND—Suppose a man and his wife get on the car and the man has no money.

CAVERLY—I lift up his coat tails and take out for two.

RAYMOND—I suppose if the car is crowded you see that each lady is got a seat.

CAVERLY—No! If the car is crowded, and a lady with a baby in her arms gets on, I see that a man becomes a godfather.

RAYMOND—How do you do that?

CAVERLY—I have a man stand up for the child.

RAYMOND—You are all right.

CAVERLY—Yes, I make my own god fathers.

RAYMOND—The company has a lot of faith in you?

CAVERLY—Faith, is vat is vat you be lie, or vat you hear, or vat I tell you. If I vas to tell you that the next time he runs Lodes will be elected United States Senator, you would take my word for it. Quinsqually that's faith.

CAVERLY—Faith.

RAYMOND—You don't understand myself. Do you know what faith is?

CAVERLY—No, do you?

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CAVERLY—It's as clear as mud.

RAYMOND—Vell, then, vat is faith?

CAVERLY—Lodes again elected United States Senator.

RAYMOND—No, that would be a miracle.

"WHAT is an emperor?"
"Such ignorance I never saw. An emperor is the man who is always wrong in a basketball game."
CARSON AND WILLARD.

"WHAT was your wife's name before you were married?"
"Her name was Helen Summer, and the same in Winter."

"THIS is bully song, waiter."
"Why, of course, why shouldn't it be, it is awful."
From "SAM HOWE'S LOVEMAKERS."

"THESE outgitters will get their rights some day."
"Well, Satan can wait."

"MOTHER IN LAW—Can you give me some money to help along our cause in South Africa?"
Son-in-law—Not a cent. What do I care for the South Africans?

Mother-in-law—You're a fine son, you are. Can't you give me something? I think so much of them that I am going myself to work among them.

Son-in-law—You going? How much do you need?
From "THE LITTLE GODDESS."

"I WENT to a phrenologist's the other day to have him read the bumps on my head. When he began his examination he exclaimed, 'Oh, what a head!'"

"Where were you the night before?"
STONE AND KALISZ.

"I WENT to a theatrical manager yesterday and asked for a place in his chorus. I told him I had a fine voice and that all I needed was a trial."
"That's all any criminal needs."

O'BRIEN, HAVEL AND KYLE.
FATHER is kicking about the big gas bills at the house lately. My Freddie was kidding me good night at one this morning, and he said:

"You are the light of my life."
Father shouted from the top of the stairs:
"Put that light out!"

ETHEL GREEN.
"DO you mean to say that the manager hired you?"

"Sure, why not?"
"Why, I thought you said he had never seen you act?"

"Well, most of my auditors never have."
From "THE SPRING MAID."

"SPEAKING of money—my brother made all kinds of money. But they caught him at it and now he's making shoes."

TOM RIPLEY.



THAT WINSOME WINNIE SMILE

VERSES BY **CAROLYN WELLS-PENRYN** DRAWINGS BY **STANLAWS**

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"Oh, Philip," Winnie pleaded, "take me out in your canoe;"

("Twas at Palm Beach) "I'll do exactly as you tell me to.
I promise not to rock the boat; I promise to sit still;
And I won't dabble in the lake. Oh, please DO take me,
Phil!"



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And then she SMILED at Philip! And Philip—he gave in!

For no man living could resist the smile of Winnie Wynne.

"Come on, then; now, step carefully! Look out! Don't tip the boat!

Now—don't you move while I get in! Ah! there now, we're afloat!"

Then Winnie clapped her hands in glee. "Be quiet!" Philip growled. She caught a passing lily-bud—and Philip sternly scowled.

At last she cried: "Oh, goodness me! that sun's right in my eyes! I think I'll turn the other way!"—and then she tried to rise.

"Sit down, there!" Philip shouted. "Sit down, for goodness sake!" But Winnie lost her balance and fell over in the lake! She grabbed the boat and upset that—and Philip, in affright, Found himself in deep water—and Winnie out of sight!



He caught her firmly as she rose, and tried toward shore to swim—

With Winnie in a panic, 'twas no easy stunt for him! At last he flung her on the beach, and scrambled to her side.

"Oh, Phil, you've spoiled my pretty frock!" that saucy Winnie cried.

"Your frock!" stormed Philip, in a rage—"I've saved your foolish life:

A girl who stands up in a canoe shall never be my wife!"

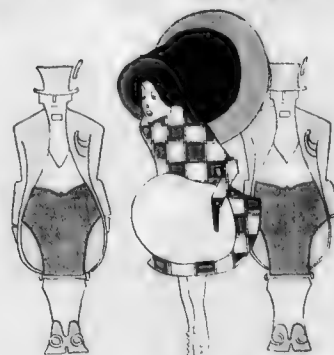
"Oh, I don't know!" said Winnie—and she smiled through her wet curls—

And Philip kissed her, murmuring, "You darlings of girls!"



(Continued Next Sunday.)

*Impressions
of New York's
Fashionable
Thoroughfare
by
Hans Flato
the
Distinguished
German Artist.*



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A MULTI-
MILLION-HIRESS
AND
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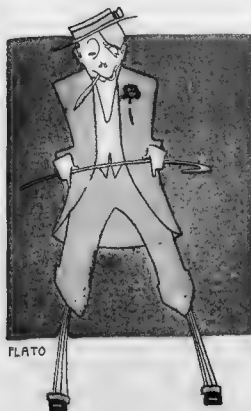
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A CUP OF TEA.



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WHY DO FASHIONABLE
WOMEN ALWAYS
HAVE TWO
ESCORTS?



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YOUNG AMERICA.



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AT THE RECENT
GOULD WEDDING.

What a Joke Is Not.

A JOKE does not merely cause laughter, for the most meaningless acts often arouse laughter.

Falling downstairs is not a true joke.

A joke is not something that merely gives pleasure for the greatest pleasure is aroused by ideas that have no elements of laughter or surprise in them.

A joke is not an act or statement that is simply unexpected, incongruous or absurd, as many people suppose, for such acts and statements may be said or repellent.

A joke is not unpleasant, repellent, offensive, nor, ugly, painful, insane, freakish, natural, solemn, stupid or meaningless.

4 Black hand gang telegraphed to a man:
"Send us \$5,000 or we will kidnap your wife."
The husband wired back:
"Price too high, but your proposition in-
terests me."

A MAN asked a Kentucky colonel whether there are any other cures for snakebites beside whiskey.

"Who cares whether there are or not?" asked the Kentuckian.

EVERYONE who has ever slipped upon a banana peel, upon a piece of ice, fallen down stairs or been kicked by a mule has wondered why the spectators of his misfortune should laugh un-amiably.

The sufferer knows that there is nothing funny in the fall, the spectators usually feel ashamed of themselves for their laughter, yet such accidents sometimes receive more hearty applause than the funniest joke.

Professor Korski explains that a laugh is not essentially an indication of comicality. But a laugh can be produced by only two of these elements or by one alone. The diagram shows how A, or absurdity, and S, or surprise, combine to produce L, the laugh.

When the accident pictured above occurs there are usually two elements of a joke—absurdity, because the victim's gyrations are absurd; surprise, because neither he nor the spectators expected him to slip upon the peel. The element of pleasure is missing; therefore, when the man slips upon the banana peel it is not a joke, although people laugh.

Why does one man's idea of what is funny differ so enormously from another's? The explanation is to be found in the fact that the emotion of pleasure is a necessary component of comicality. The class of ideas that pleases one man differs greatly from the class that pleases another.

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WHEN is a joke a funny joke, and when is it not a funny joke? Why is it, to paraphrase Lincoln, that all the people can see some of the jokes and some of the people can see all the jokes, but all the people can't see all the jokes?

In short, what is a joke?

In this age of standardization and 100 per cent efficiency, why cannot the joke be standardized? Why can't the joke be taken apart and be put together again, so that every one will know how to make perfectly good jokes, and every one will be able to laugh at a joke when it is a good joke and to glare stonily when it is not a good joke?

These questions occurred two years ago to Professor Julian Korsch, of the University of California. Mr. Korsch was about to write a book on some obscure subject, and called on him for the assistant chair of psychology at that university. He decided to write his thesis upon the joke, to answer the questions mentioned, and any more that occurred to him. After two years Professor Korsch, broken in health by his labors, but triumphant in mind, has solved the secret of the Joke.

The joke was synthesized, examined, analyzed, dissected, analyzed, synthesized, examined. Several systems of men, women and children were introduced with jokes good and bad during the course of the investigations.

the fate of all great original researchers. Of the surgeons who first delved into the mystery of the X-ray many are now victims of the disease, and so, as a result, it is difficult to study the bacillus of the bubonic plague die of it, and there are but a few. Professors of bacteriology are not immune from exhaustive fashion—the laboratory method.

After fourteen months of a "s-alivation" "prolongation" of life, the patient died of himself. He had "spells of severe headache, sleeplessness and loss of appetite." "Ultimately, after a long and painful struggle, a feeling of bitter resentment lasting for hours and days at a time." "The instant the joke experiment was made, the patient died." "After a severe reaction, the patient's lungs and lumbago threw me down shortly afterward." Professor Koranyi does not say that this was a joke, but he does not say that it was studied, but the suggestion is interesting; it is still unable to do any physical work or un-

For the first time in the history of man he has made it plain what a joke is. His professorship winning thesis is soon to be embalmed in a monograph dictated to "the professional joker, the clown and the newspaper humorist, with love." It is called "An anthropological analysis of the creative and constructive comic imagination."

base, I too should, too unwise? too strange, too incongruous, too impossible (pardon the expression).

It is the elements of probability and inference for the accepted social and scientific standards, for traditions and conventional formulae, that mark the border beyond which comicality must not pass. The more thousands of statements is that everything beyond human comprehension rises to be humorous, the more the difficulty of understanding an English joke.

We hope we have shown that true comicality is not a matter of degree, but of surprise. There can never be too much laugh in it; that composite, but too much absurdity or surprise.

Do not take laughter always as a sure indication of a joke. Laughter may be quite absent, or it may be only a partial, incomplete joke. We must have the three elements for true comicality. But where there are only two, the result is not comicality. It is not as it does not arise from true comicality. It is not the outcome of a condition of mind necessary for comicality. It is only a by-product. Laughter is only incidental to the comic effect; a thing laughable is not always comic

A man tipped another man and said:
 "How is your mother-in-law?"
 "Ah," said the second man, "she is dead."
 "Why," said the first man, sympathetically,
 "what complaint?"
 "No complaint. Everybody's satisfied,"
 replied his friend.

This is not a good joke because it lacks one great element, that of surprise. There is no surprise in the fact that mothers-in-law are not popular and anything affecting them invariably arouses a pleasant emotion; there is a large measure of absurdity because of the play on the word "complaint," but there is very little surprise because the attitude of the mind is familiar and the point discounted. The diagram shows the small measure of comicality that results. The mother-in-law joke can never be a good joke.

texture of a neighbor, such as slipping on unsavory peel or falling downstairs. Such occurrences are not a true joke, but it contains elements of surprise and absurdity, and these as we have seen, arouse laughter. It is an imperfect joke and I may say that to laugh excessively at it is a sign of an imperfect undeveloped mind. A man's gyrations under such circumstances are absurd; his fall is not due to his own stupidity. The spectator, the latter laughs; the former would, but the shock is too great. There is no element of pleasure in the scene either for the one falling or for the spectator. This is shown by the fact that the latter are almost always

Let me now take up a few jokes and show how they may be analyzed by the formula and how they are compounded. I have a pair of out-clews that the mother-in-law jokes are not funny, and why.

Here is one as bad: A boy, rushing into a street car, cried: "Extra! All about the terrible street car catastrophe!" An old lady spoke up and asked, "Boy, what is the catastrophe?" The boy answered, "A woman hit her eye on a seat and a man sat on it." Dr. J. H. Hinkle for "surprise," for there is much of this in the analysis of the last two jokes, "absurdity," for there is plenty of this. Because of the unpleasant suggestion of

But here is a good joke—one showing, perhaps, seventy per cent of the standard. A man entered a restaurant and looked about at the moities on the wall. He read on the menu: "Mutton Chops a la Maitre." "Is that true?" he asked the proprietor. "Yes," he answered. "Then bring me a cup of tea," said the man.

Here one has a full measure of pleasure, because one thinks of home and mother; a full measure of surprise, because the man has ordered the coffee; a generous measure of absurdity, because mothers are supposed to know how to cook. The resulting diagram will

Five thousand persons found this picture—its elements often used by "comic artists"—to be "unhygienic, unpleasant, indecent."

Four thousand five hundred persons found this picture gave them "a very unpleasant feeling, not funny, very disagreeable."

Six thousand persons found this to be "ugly, absolutely incognate, suggesting a tumor or anatomical subject."

The progression . . . illustrates that mere incognitively does not make a good joke.



a serious book on joking looks like a paradox, but tried to be amusing without being silly you have a serious task it is. How serious it is you can see in the worried faces of the professional humorists. These are to be considered seriously as clinical spec-

The purpose of my research work show the possibility of producing humorifically, and appreciating it by fixed words. In other words, to provide the nation for a conscious comic art.

Humor and wit should be an exact. Just as it is possible to train an exact lawyer, a clown or an actor, so it is possible to educate a professional humorist, a literary humorist, a newspaper humorist, a humorist, a humorist. Of course, there is no school of art that make a Whistler out of a blind man, a great military general out of a cripple a soldier. But with normal you can train a man's mind for any.

The humorous appreciative and

imagination can be highly developed and refined by special training. In most cases, a student can be developed into a comedian. The experiments which I have embraced four problems. The first problem was to decide what are the elements that enter into humor. The elements are exclusively in the comical class are:

A, pleasure; B, expectation, relief; C, disproportion, degradation, satire; D, querness, oddity, ridiculous, ludicrous, the farcical, curious, and silly; E, masquerade, the extra-

ness direct, and a child, because

The second problem was: What factors which detract from the human elements failing exclusively of the class of the not comic are: A, u repellent, offensive, horrid, ugly; I, inhumane, insane, freakish; C, na emia, stupid, meaningless.

The third problem is: What elements that are important to humor can be present in what is not humor?

These elements in the order of are: incongruity, contrast, assoc ideas, absurdity, uncertainty (as to

The element of incongruity which comical class always arouses pleasure may be a source of unpleasant emotions. The picture of a woman with a head was found by tests upon the same "ugly, unpleasant, incongruous," and trial the picture of a lady with a man's head, which was considered a trial as merely "too serious" and trial aroused nervous, loud laughter. "Very unpleasant feeling, very disagreeable."

This briefly illustrates the light of the absurd which is incongruous. The fourth problem is: Where is the line between the humorous and humorous? The answer is: A man

**A 33-1-3 Per
Cent. Funny
Joke**

became, explains Professor Koraki, here, as shown in the diagram, there is a large amount of absurdity, produced by the suggestion that the men of the cave age knew arithmetic (as it is said) a small amount of surprise, because, there are few people who know the same terminology, and little of pleasure, all of which is in the soul

CALL: "a professor who has talked learnedly of the Atlantos-ichthyosaurus, iguanodon, etc.)—How interesting! How very interesting! But do you think you could be really **QUITE** sure they were called by these strange names?"—A Punch joke.

"Mother said I should not go near the candles, be-
cause I have a celluloid collar on"

A cartoon illustration within a rectangular frame. It depicts a car from a side profile, but it's missing its front end, wheels, and engine. Instead, it has a steering wheel and a driver's seat. A man is lying flat on the ground in front of the car, having been run over. The car is moving to the right, as indicated by motion lines. Below the illustration, the text 'THE HUMANE CAR' is written in a bold, sans-serif font, followed by a horizontal line.

But this joke, by Cartoonist Thomas
paper, is a 100 per cent. fine standard joke
ment of the automobile; 100 per cent. of
the man is not injured nor the automobile

A 60-2-3 Per Cent. Funny Joke

—Here there is a large amount of surprise, because the answer was unexpected, a fair amount of a surdity, because no mother should send a child with a celluloid collar near fire, and a fair amount of pleasure, because the Christmas tree raises pleasant feelings.

This is another typical English joke.

Powers, which appeared in the City Life Section of this news-
because there is 100 per cent. of absurdity in the odd arrange-
prise in the conception, and 100 per cent. of pleasure because
maged.

Mrs. Burke-Roche's Twins Get Her Bad Love-Luck

The Astonishing Series of Burke-Roche Misfortunes

Miss Fannie Work, of New York, marries the Hon. James Burke Roche, heir of Lord Fermoy, of Ireland.

They disagree and Mrs. Burke Roche returns to America.

Mr. Burke Roche comes along and leaves the twins on his father-in-law's doorstep.

He advertises wherever she travels in Europe that he won't be responsible for her debts.

After her daughter Cynthia's marriage to Arthur S. Burden it turns out that Mrs. Burke Roche has been secretly married for a year to Aurel Batonyi, the professional whip.

Her father, Frank Work, is furious at the marriage and cuts off supplies.

Mrs. Burke Roche leaves her husband and brings suit for divorce. He makes astonishing accusations against her.

Burke Roche brings suit for divorce in England. Calls his wife a bigamist.

Mrs. William Watts Sherman does not care to have her twin golden girls play with the Burke Roche twin boys.

Burke Roche and Lord Fermoy leave their property away from Mrs. Burke Roche's oldest boy, who is heir to the title.

And now there is trouble for young Frankie Burke Roche in his courtship of a famous society beauty.



NEVER has a lovely woman been pursued by more persistent bluck than Mrs. Burke-Roche, of New York.

And now the ill-luck appears to have descended to her children.

Everybody remembers how the beautiful Fanny Work married the Hon. James Burke-Roche, heir to the Irish Lord Fermoy, who quarreled with her, left her two sons at her doorstep, warned tradesmen not to give her credit and called her a bigamist.

Still worse luck followed her marriage to the coachman Aurel Batonyi, which led to her father cutting off all supplies and a divorce suit in which her husband made extraordinary charges against her.

Then her very handsome twin sons, Francis and Maurice Burke-Roche, became devoted to the very charming and immensely wealthy twin daughters of Mrs. William Watts Sherman, but Mrs. Sherman did not smile on the twin enterprises, because, it was said, Mrs. Burke-Roche had had so much trouble and the twins seemed likely to inherit more of that than any other kind of property.

But youth comes up smiling after the hardest blow, and this Summer Twin Frankie was devoted to "Miss Angelica Brown, known as 'Girle' Brown, the smartest society girl, which she is one of the most prominent and prospectively wealthy ornaments. His devotion, according to the society gossip, was more or less reciprocated.

And now "Girle" Brown has gone away suddenly to Egypt to spend the rest of the Winter looking at the Sphinx and Pyramids, and missing all the delights of the New York season. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, say that her health requires the change, but here again the well informed observer sees the working of the Burke-Roche luck.

This romance, in which "Girle" and Frankie are playing leading parts, began last Winter, and reached its culmination at Newport in August. No one took it seriously at first. "Girle" Brown has had a vast amount of attention since her debut in the '90s. She was "ruined" in one request and earnestly during her first year than any other girl in her set. Her long, statuesque train of admirers included Tommy Sill, Barton Willing, Cy-

ril Hatch, George Warren, and even that seasoned diplomat, Jimmy Brett Stokes. Consequently, one more admirer made no impression on the Brown family.

The added admirer, however, impressed "Girle" most favorably, and when the Newport season opened the outlook for Frankie was very rosy.

The leading lady did not count on her fond parents. They had smiled on all her admirers impartially, and consequently she felt perfectly sure that if she would be acceptable to her.

Was not Frankie making "fifteen per" in a downtown express company?

During July the young people made wonderful plans and scarcely knew whether they were walking in Bellevue avenue or floating in clouds above Bailey's Beach.

There was no thought of fireworks until Papa Brown rushed to Newport one August weekend with five in one eye and rage in the other. Ordinarily Papa Brown has two perfectly good blue eyes.

Oh, what a sensation his arrival caused! No one expected him. Newport knew of course that there was a Papa Brown, but it never saw him. He always left the Newport and its things to Mrs. Jimmy.

Francis Burke-Roche, the Heir of the Burke-Roche Ill- Luck in Love.

When he landed at Newport the fateful Friday evening there was no one to meet him at the wharf. Papa Brown was missing.

When the bark dashed up the roadway and Papa dashed up the steps, Mamma Brown dashed down.

"Oh, what is the matter, Jim," she said. "Are you sick? Are you dead? Has the bank failed?"

"No, no, no. Everything's all right in New York, but trouble's here."

At this the Brown family went into an executive session and of course the public was excluded.

After that week end "Girle" took to her bed. There was much unhappiness in Kingston, Mrs. Jimmie is a devoted mother, and she blamed the loss of her son on the "Girle."

She thought it was only one of "Girle's" Summer situations.

Papa stayed over Sunday and explained the situation to "Girle." "Young Roche, my dear, has not money enough and his habits, well his habits are too irresponsible."

"But he has reformed," said "Girle." "He never goes to any of the Broadway plays any more, and he is working, oh, so hard."

"Information must be shown in deeds, not words," judicially replied papa.

"Girle" refused every invitation for a week and it was the height of Newport season, too! She said that she was ill, and retired to her dainty pink and white boudoir day after day.

Mamma Brown, who by the way was one of the handsomest daughters of Arthur Quinlan, the marine artist, was in despair.

Suddenly "Girle" changed her tactics. She proceeded from her illness and as horse show week approached went out constantly.

With the opening of the show she bobbed up merrily as Mrs. Livy's Bookman's guest.

"Girle's" pink coloring returned, and she began to look near happy. Then the season closed, and Mrs. Brown took her on a round of visits to Tuxedo, Hot Springs and Leveaux all helped to keep her from becoming her father.

Just when Papa and Mamma Brown flattered themselves that "Girle" was working, they found affairs had taken a new turn.

As proof of his earnestness, Frankie was spending many hours during the day with his maternal grandfather, Frank Work.

That, it was hoped, would bear fruitful results. Frankie reasoned that if Grandpapa would give him \$25,000 a year and make a definite promise for the future, the Browns might relent.

It was great sport to see Frankie "work" his Fifth avenue apartment instead of joining the fellows at the club. He used to chase around the corner of Twenty-sixth street at a two-forty pace so as to get to the Iron Bars with grand father, for every afternoon the venerable Mr. Work ate in the vestibule behind the iron grill, and how he glibly the passkey!

Finally things reached so serious a state that Papa Brown said to Mamma: "My dear, you and An who will spend the Winter in Egypt!"

"How long has looking at the Sphinx and climbing pyramids been a cure for love?" "Change of scene, my dear," replied Papa, "may work miracles. Oh, but think of the smells of the Nile," objected Mamma, who like her air intolerated. "Take a course of Robert Hichens and you

Mother So Unfortunate in Marriages, Twin Maurice So Dis- appointed—Now "Girle"

Brown Is Whisked Abroad to Make Her Forget

Twin Francis!

Snapshot
of Pretty
Miss
Angelica
Brown, Taken
at Newport.

the window until the smoke from the big steamer was a smudge against the sky and the head clerk threatened to dock his wages. "Oh, the materialism of express offices," moaned Frankie. Nevertheless, he got busy and for the first time since his troubles began, he tried to please the hotel clerk. "That head clerk may be useful," he thought, "when I want a raise." And so Frankie is packing away at his job, losing his exquisite pink and white complexion.

Mrs. Burke-Roche is very much in favor of the match. She wants her boys to marry, and to marry nice girls with fortunes. She cannot do very much for them, as her allowance is only \$100 a month and her expenses are always something over forty nine hundred. It is therefore, absolutely necessary for the twins to marry money.

In the meantime the sad and unhappy "Girle" is being kept steadily guarded by Mamma, a courier and two maids.

"Girle" has one correspondent in New York, and that is pretty Eleanor Greenlee Brown, who writes quite frequently. Rumor is always

went notice the smell," shrugged Page. "I will buy the passage to Europe."

And so they sailed away one Winter day, and did "Girle" as in her heart, "I'll never see my Frankie any more."

There was deep gloom in that downtown express office the day the Locomotive steamed down the bay. There in a wordy view of the harbor from the office and Frankie clung to

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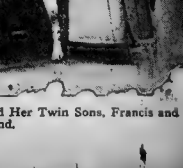
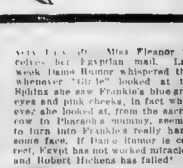
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Mrs. Burke-Roche, Her Dog, and Her Twin Sons, Francis and Edmund.

The Girl with the Little Head.

**Massed-Up Curls Banished in Favor of the Demure,
Close Coiffure—and a "Sweet Seventeen"
Gown in Harmonious
Design**



The New, Close Coiffure, Which Banishes All Puffs and Curls, at Last Adopted by Fashion.

LADY DUFF-GORDON, the famous "Lucile" of London, and foremost creator of fashions in the world, writes each week the fashion article for the newspaper, illustrating it with sketches and photographs of her own original modes.

Lady Duff-Gordon's American establishment is at No. 17 West Thirty-ninth street, New York City.

By Lady Duff-Gordon ("Lucile")

Is there a woman living, I wonder, who does not take a deep and general delight in being able to say, triumphantly, "I told you so!" I, for one, am now going to indulge in a well-pleased repetition of the aforementioned phrase, pointing the white, to the pictures herewith, to prove to you that the "small head," which I always advocated, has conquered completely, and that the coiffure which is banded closely about the head, has, by its distinctive charm, succeeded in banishing the bunched-out and massed-up curls which have lately been making another and desperate attempt to regain their place in fashion's favor and on feminine heads.

And now the powers that be to the world of fashion, including the famous *Politi*, are all combining to send forth the decree that the correct coiffure for the coming season is to be of the close and small shape shown in these sketches, with never a curl to break its beautiful contour, though several different arrangements are suggested and are accounted preferable, so that it may be made really

becoming to almost every type of face.

Of course, only the woman who is of our *Edda-May*-like serenity and perfection of countenance and feature will dare to display that coiffure whose soft, sleek waves show never a ripple or wave, but are just parted in the centre and drawn smoothly over the ears with a little loop or roll low down on the neck that, granted the necessary features and fascinations, this almost demure arrangement can be most attractive, though, for the vast majority, there can be recommended, in preference, either of these companion coiffures where the hair shows a suggestion of waving and ruffling, and is further finished with an encircling band and bow of spotted ribbon (pink for day (even wear) or deep entwined stripes of jeweled gauze, to be bound closely about the head, while a pendant of barbarically beautiful design falls almost into the forehead, and catches pearls and corals and turquoise or dull gold beads hang in festooned fringes over the ears.

And thus, again, when the hair is just wound smoothly about the head,



A "Lucile" "Sweet Seventeen" Gown, Designed to Go with a "Small Head."

Examples of the "Small Head" with Evening Toilette, Adding Nets and Jewelled Ornaments for Oriental Effects.

It makes a perfect foundation for closely fitting turbans and caps of semi-transparent metallic tissue or white-netted net, whose Oriental aspect is increased by the addition

of jeweled chains and cabochons; the second group of sketches, showing such arrangements, being, indeed, worthy of your closest consideration and copying. An ideal

covering for dark hair is, for example, that opaline drapery of silver tissue shown in the faint sea green, while a great emerald gleams out in front above a pendant pearl

being fastened at either side by enormous cabochons, whose outer borderings of jet bugles are contrasted with clusters of pink coral beads from whose raised centre hang festoons of shining jet beads. This particular combination and contrast being, I must tell you, very much favored this season, not only in the way of hair ornaments, but also in dress embroideries and millinery trimmings.

As to "sweet seventeen," her requirements will be still better suited by that novel blending of bandeau and frilled cap, which is shown in the photograph.

The dress, you may like to know, has an underrobe of dark pink chiffon, with intricate and delicate lace, and a touch or two of puffed blue in the way of threaded ribbons and flaky tied bows, while tulle on the willing of filmy net and lace festoons of leaves and bouquets and circles of flowers are applicable in satin ribbon.

Chains of smaller pearls, shimmering out, mille fine, and translucent, against the sleek dark coils of hair which hide the ears, and another jewelled ornament being set low down on the back of the neck.

Very effective too, on lighter hair, is that transparency of black net which is held in position close against the head by bands of narrow velvet ribbon in their turn.

TREE DEWISHT

How They Cut Out Bad Spots in the Trunks, Clean the Inside, Doctor Roots, Fill Cavities, Even Put On "Bridges"



The Swellings Out Away (and Above) the Disease Swellings. All Nicely Filled with Cement

By C. H. EASTON.

TO-DAY one frequently hears the question, "What is Tree Surgery?" In so far as it applies to the cement work alone, a good answer would be that it is the practical application of dentistry to trees. But this answer would not cover the other branches of the profession, consisting of trimming, chaining, spraying and fertilization. It is in fact an advanced development of arboriculture.

The tree surgeon is a product of modern conditions. In earlier days, when the country was covered with forests there was no thought of him. This comparatively new profession has come as a direct result of the agitation of the forest problem in our country. Many broad minded lumbermen, and others directing the myriad industries requiring wood for their existence,

have been led to support the policy of the Government relative to immense natural timber reserves in order that the timber supply may be perpetuated.

This agitation has turned the attention of the people toward trees in general, and has aroused on owners of large estates a keen interest in the individual tree. Both fruit and shade trees are valued now as never before. The fact has become generally known that by the skillful methods of the competent tree surgeon it is possible to give a new lease of life to trees which apparently had reached their limit of existence.

Of the many branches embraced in this work, the cement filling forms by far the largest and most important part. The practice of the tree surgeon has long been in use, but when carried out along the usual lines it only served to add to the original trouble. The method of sealing up the decayed portions simply increased the decay. Many examples may be seen where the bark at the edge of the cavity was covered by the cement, no regard having been paid to drainage or the subsequent healing of the wound. As the cement did not adhere to the wood, and the swelling of the tree by the wind often enlarged the crack between the wood and the filling, water penetrated behind the cement, and decay went on even more rapidly than before.

The first step in the repairing of a cavity for cement consists in the thorough removal of all diseased or decayed tissue, no matter how large a wound it may leave. The fresh surface must then be sterilized with an antiseptic solution and then coated with coal tar. It is imperative that a sterilized solution be used, as otherwise the parasite producing the decay may not be entirely destroyed, and rot may

continue after the cement has been filled in. One pound of copper sulphate to four gallons of water is the best wash for this purpose, and is easily prepared.

It must be noted here that the cells forming the heartwood in most of our trees do not serve in carrying sap to the crown or top. The flow of water and earthy constituents from the feeding roots to the crown takes place through the sap wood, or living layers of the tree, and the bark.

The tree grows in girth by the deposit of a thin layer of new wood between the wood and bark. There are three layers in this coat, the middle one being composed of this forming tissue known as the cambium. The inner side of this layer forms new wood, the outer new bark. It is this new layer and the layers of the four or five previous years which is known as the sap wood, and forms the active sections of the trunk and branches. The cells of these inner rings are gradually covered by the yearly deposit of new growth, and from living sap wood become heartwood, which is dead, and serves merely as a strong framework for the living parts of the tree and as storehouses for excess material.

This is the reason why hollow trees may often be found in a flourishing condition when the heartwood may have entirely disappeared. However, a landscape tree in this condition, deprived of the shelter of its fellows, is in grave danger, for, when wind or heavy snowfalls may find it an easy victim.

In cavity treatment by far the most important work lies in the cutting of the water shield, which prevents the entrance of moisture. This work must be done by skilled workmen, as no two of these shields sent the same problem, and the workman must be able to bring his

experience, derived from long practice, to bear upon the treatment of each case.

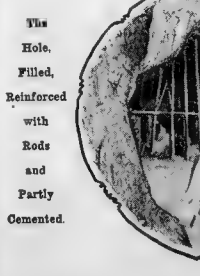
In the case of exceptionally large cavities the opening is covered by large sheets of zinc. The cement is then forced down into every crevice and allowed to set, after which the zinc is removed and a coat of fine insulating cement put on and painted the color of the bark. By this method the tree surgeon is enabled to build out trees where fully half the wood may have been destroyed by lightning or from some other cause.

This treatment serves as a fine example of the healing powers of nature, for it is remarkable how quickly these wounds will heal

when protected from moisture and further decay by the cement filling insured by the water shield.

The former method of placing an iron band around a tree to prevent splitting often caused death, or at least deformity, for as the trunk or branch grew in circumference the pressure of the band cut off the flow of sap, depriving the top of nourishment. The improved method consists in placing bolts directly through the limbs, and securing them on one end by washers and nuts, while on the other a hook is formed over which a chain is placed. This serves as a stay, enough being given in the chain to allow the crown sufficient swing or sway.

Cleaning Out the Cavity.



This Hole, Filled, Reinforced with Rods and Cemented.

THE NEW SCIENCE OF MAKING MONEY

TEN years ago, when the Interstate Commerce Law began to interfere with the tricks and schemes and rebates and cut-throat methods of the railroads, a howl of despair went up from the railroad presidents that the Government was wrecking their business. Since that most wholesome interference the railroads have made more money than ever.

Again the same wail has been heard from the same railroad presidents in the last two weeks because the Interstate Commerce Commissioners have forbidden them to raise their freight rates. It has been abundantly proved that there is no honest reason or justifiable excuse for requesting higher freight rates out of the public.

But the examination into the greedy demands of the railroads has resulted in two very interesting and important revelations.

One is the discovery that the railroads are run by the great trusts as the paw with which they reach the pockets of the people. It was the complaint of the railroads that "prices were so high" for steel rails, for locomotives, for cars, for coal, etc. And it has been shown that the same little group of men

who control the Steel Trust and the Locomotive Trust and the Car Trust and the Coal Trust also control the railroads, and make them pay the highest possible price for everything. And the tariff is maintained to keep foreign rails and coal and supplies from coming into the country to spoil the market.

The other great discovery was the loose, extravagant, old-fashioned and inefficient methods of management of the railroads. It was shown that modern scientific business methods were not in practice with the railroads, and it was ascertained that \$1,000,000 a day was a modest estimate of what the railroads could save if they applied the same methods used by up-to-date enterprises.

On this page to-day are given some astonishing illustrations of how modern scientific business efficiency works out in all lines of human endeavor. There is no business too small and none too large to apply these methods. If the railroads want more money, this is the way to get it, and not out of the pockets of the public. It is the new science of making money by the intelligent saving of money.



This Steam Shovel Does Just as

Astonishing Economies Which Result from Making a Science of Business.

BUSINESS is no longer a matter of chance or haphazard guesswork. It is fast being transformed into a science as exact as chemistry or mathematics—a science which, by eliminating waste and by reducing our working knowledge to scientific laws and mathematical formulas, secures the highest possible efficiency for the employer, enables the employee to earn higher wages and lowers prices for the consumer.

Greater output per man at less cost—that is what the new science aims to accomplish, and wherever it receives a fair, intelligent trial it is making good.

It was this new science which Louis D. Brandeis had in mind when he asserted recently that an average saving of \$1,000,000 a day could be made in the operation of American railroads. The tremendous figure named by Mr. Brandeis excited no incredulity among those who are familiar with the wonderful possibilities of scientific management. On the contrary, it was thought that \$350,000,000 was perhaps too conservative an estimate of the annual savings the railroads might make.

Although less than five years old, scientific management is already in force in nearly one hundred industrial plants of various kinds, employing more than 50,000 workmen. The saving that is being made daily in the operation of many of these plants is even greater in proportion than that which Mr. Brandeis thinks possible for the railroads.

The underlying principle of scientific management is efficiency. It is based on the idea that there is enormous waste in nearly every kind of work because it is done according to rule-of-thumb tradition rather than intelligent, scientific methods. It has to do with every element that enters into a business—with the human element as well as with materials and machinery, fuel and factory plants.

The new science of business teaches that a thorough organization, in which authority is carefully centralized and responsibility clearly defined, is the first essential to the attainment of efficiency. Without such organization real progress is impossible.

Take, for example, the New York cloakmakers' strike, in which a half dozen different unions were in dispute with perhaps a thousand different employers. A settlement seemed hopeless until, at the suggestion of the same Mr. Brandeis who points the way to the solution of the railroads' problem without increasing rates, the striking employers united to select a single committee to act for them, and the employers formed themselves into a compact committee to deal with the strikers.

Once these organizations were perfected, the conflict was speedily ended by an agreement which has proved entirely satisfactory to both sides.

The efficiency in the actual doing of the work which scientific management demands calls for an equal degree of efficiency in the supervision of the work. In fact, the tendency of the scientific idea is to reduce the actual number of workers and increase the number of supervisors.

In one shop run on scientific principles there are now twenty-five managers and seventy workmen where formerly there were two managers and 102 workmen. Yet the total output of the shop under the new management is nearly twice what it was

before, and the cost of the product is more than 10 per cent less. The very competent supervision which the science of efficiency demands is not possible in a loosely organized working force. It is imperative that each individual member of a scientifically managed business organization have a good grasp of the general scheme and purpose of the organization of which he is a component part. He should thoroughly understand where his own responsibilities and duties begin, where they end and where they overlap or dovetail with the responsibilities and duties of his fellow workers.

You will, therefore, find hanging in the offices of every scientifically managed business nowadays a clearly drawn diagram, which shows at a glance the duties and responsibilities are divided, from president to office boy or laborer, and exactly what relation each officer or employee holds to every other officer or employee.

The scientific business organization has for its one constant aim the elimination of waste—waste of time, money, materials and effort. It is thoughtfully planned and carefully welded together with this purpose in view, and in the achievement of this end lies the reason for its existence.

What is the maximum amount of first class work that a man or a machine can do in a given period of time? This is the first question to be answered by the man who would conduct his business on a scientific basis.

Once having settled upon fair standards of output for every class of work, he sees to it that every unit of his organization—every man, every machine—reaches the standards set for them. To accomplish this he relies upon efficient supervision; encouraging wage bonuses; improved machinery; improvement of working conditions, such as better light or cleaner, more sanitary, better arranged workrooms; and, above all, study of the actual methods employed in doing every kind of work with a view to eliminating the unnecessary and the wasteful.

The business scientist approaches his task with a yard stick in one hand and a stop watch in the other. They study and measure and time each separate process in the shop or office to see how they can be shortened, quickened, made more efficient.

Everywhere they find an appalling amount of time, money and material going to waste. Then they formulate into definite rules the more efficient methods which their study shows to be possible, and by offer of wage bonuses for increased production they encourage the workers to do their work in the new and better way.

The business scientist's task in shop or office is not complete until he has fixed upon the minimum amount of work which can reasonably be expected from every man and every machine in a working day. Employees who cannot reach this standard are promptly weeded out; for those who can exceed it extra pay is provided.

In some cases, of course, very radical changes have to be made before any degree of efficiency can be attained. Sometimes a factory or office has to be entirely reorganized; occasionally it is necessary to employ a more intelligent or better trained class of labor. In every case the most intelligent supervision is essential.

Scientific management means greater profits for the employer, for it increases his output and decreases his operating expenses; but it is not the employer alone who is benefited by the new business methods. They enable every really competent worker to earn more money, to work shorter hours and to go home at night as tired as he has ever before. By greatly decreasing the manufacturing costs they lighten materially the burden of expense that rests so heavily on the shoulders of the ultimate consumer.

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Teaching Girls to Do More and Better Work and Earn Higher Wages.

IN a Massachusetts machine shop which manufactures bicycle balls scientific methods were applied to the department in which a large force of girls was employed to inspect the finished balls, with the following remarkable results:

Thirty-five girls did the work formerly done by 120.

The girls earned from \$6.50 to \$9 a week, instead of \$3.50 to \$4.50, as before.

They worked only eight and one-half hours a day, with Saturday half holiday, instead of ten and one-half hours a day, with no holiday.

In spite of the greatly increased output, the accuracy of inspection was one-third greater than before the introduction of scientific management.

The work of this department was to examine minutely millions of polished bicycle balls before they were finally boxed for shipment. It was work that required the closest attention and concentration, and the girls who did it were supposed to be skilled—at least, they had been employed at it for years.

The work consisted of placing a pair of the polished steel balls in the creases of the fingers on the back of the left hand and examining them as they rolled over and over with the aid of a magnet held in the right hand, under a strong light. Four kinds of defects had to be looked for, and the defective balls were picked out and thrown into boxes provided for them.

Before in any way stimulating the girls toward a larger output it was necessary to insure against any falling off in the quality of their work. This was accomplished by making four of the most accurate and trustworthy of the girls over-inspectors. It was made their duty to reinspect each day a certain percentage of the balls which had been already inspected by the other girls. The balls for this second inspection were taken at random, so that the over-inspectors never knew whose work it was they were examining, although, of course, the foreman did.

Improved day work was then substituted for the old piece-work method. An accurate daily record, both as to quantity and quality, was kept for each girl. In a comparatively short time this enabled the foreman to fix the ambition of all the girls by increasing the wages of those who turned out a large quantity and good quality, at the same time lowering the pay of those who fell short, and discharging others who proved to be incorrigibly slow or careless.

An accurate time study was made showing the use of a stop watch and record blanks to determine how fast each kind of inspection should be done. This showed that the girls spent a

considerable part of their time in partial idleness, talking and half working, or in actually doing nothing. Talking while at work was stopped by seating them far apart. The hours of work were shortened from 10½ per day, first to 9½, and later to 8½, a Saturday half holiday being given them even with the shorter hours. Two recesses of ten minutes each were given them, in the middle of the morning and afternoon, during which they were expected to leave their seats and were allowed to talk.

The shorter hours and improved conditions made it possible for the girls to really work steadily, instead of pretending to do so. Piece work was then introduced, a differential rate being paid, not for an increase in output, but for greater accuracy. In the inspection, the lots inspected by the over-inspectors forming the basis for the payment of the differential. The work of each girl was measured every hour, and they were all informed whether they were keeping up with their tasks, or how far they had fallen short, and an assistant was sent by the foreman to encourage those who were falling behind and help them to catch up.

Saving Motions to Increase the Output and Lessen the Cost.

IN a large publishing house, which mails annually millions of circulars, form letters and sample copies, the saving of even a single motion in the process of folding, enclosing or addressing means an economy that is well worth thinking about.

When this idea occurred to an officer of a New York publishing company he devoted several weeks to a careful, analytical study of the work of the mailing department. To the girls employed there and their work he applied practically the same methods that Mr. Taylor used with his pig iron handlers and Mr. Gilbreth with his bricklayers—and with equally satisfactory results.

The girls who folded and sealed the letters had formerly been allowed to arrange their work to suit themselves. A very little observation of their methods showed that there was much room for improvement.

Experiments were made to determine in just what order each movement should be made in folding the letter and enclosure, picking them up and inserting them in the envelope.

Crude as the first attempt necessarily was it immediately doubled the output of a girl. Further study of the subject revealed ways not only of entirely eliminating many motions, but of shortening the distance traversed by the hands in the motions that remained.

Finally a way was devised of arranging and handling the

How Science Taught the Bricklayers to Lay Three Times as Many Bricks as Ever Before.

UNTIL recently the best bricklayer on earth could not lay more than 150 bricks an hour. That was the world's record, held by a Boston man. To-day a first-class workman can lay bricks at the rate of 350 an hour, and yet go home at night less tired than when he was laying only about one-third as many. This astonishing change—making the bricklayer's work easier and at the same time increasing his capacity nearly threefold—has been brought about solely through the application of scientific methods to the old-fashioned trade.

Bricklaying is the oldest mechanical trade, and after all the centuries it has been practised by nations, barbarous and civilized. It was natural to suppose that it was as near perfection as any trade could be. Yet such was not the case, as Mr. Frank B. Gilbreth, a successful New York building contractor, has shown out long before the completion of the two years of careful study which he recently gave to the subject.

Mr. Gilbreth found that the methods of bricklaying were practically the same as they were two thousand years ago, and that these methods were fundamentally wrong. Not only were they slow, and consequently expensive, but they were unnecessarily fatiguing. By the elimination of motions which only wasted time and energy and by calling to the workmen's aid a few simple, inexpensive devices Mr. Gilbreth reduced bricklaying to a science and produced a new set of methods which have revolutionized the trade.

By watching a man at work Mr. Gilbreth, who, by the way, was greatly aided in this investigation by his wife, learned that a bricklayer went through sixteen distinct motions in laying a brick.

First, the bricklayer bent over and selected a good brick from a tangled pile. After toiling it into the air to get a good grip on it, he examined its four edges so as to pick out the smoothest side to go on the outside of the building. All this time three motions, and the brick was far from being in position.

Next the bricklayer raised the brick and heaved it up to the wall, spread it and placed the brick in position on it. Putting the brick into place with the trowel and cutting off and disking of the surplus mortar brought the total number of motions for each brick up to eighteen.

Mr. Gilbreth finally succeeded in reducing those eighteen motions down to five for each brick, and in some cases to two, and this is how he did it:

He devised an adjustable scaffold, which eliminated the most wasteful motion of all—the constant back-breaking stoop, which tires even the strongest man so quickly, and thus lessens his working capacity. In the middle of this scaffold he placed a table, which could be moved about to suit the workman's convenience.

Instead of compelling the high-priced bricklayer to search for a good brick and then turn it over and over to find the right side, he had cheaper workmen sort out the good bricks and pile them in buckets with the right side up. This eliminated a great number of motions, and several others were cast into the discard by having the mortar properly tempered so that the weight of the brick would bring it to its proper resting place.

These were the principal changes made by Mr. Gilbreth, but a number of others may be briefly mentioned. Particular attention was given to having the mortar of the proper consistency. This is something that can easily be attended to by a laborer, whose time is not one-half as valuable as the expert bricklayer's.

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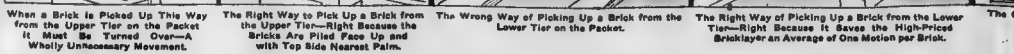
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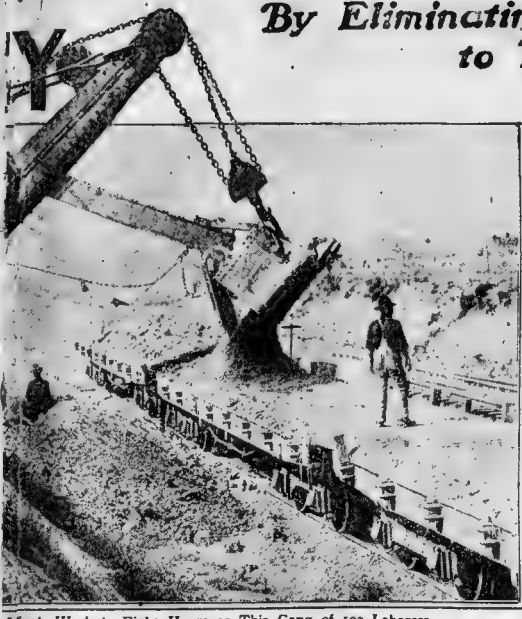
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When a Brick Is Picked Up This Way from the Upper Tier on the Pallet It Must Be Turned Over—A Wholly Unnecessary Movement. The Right Way to Pick Up a Brick from the Upper Tier—Right Because the Bricks Are Piled Face Up and Brick Is Taken Nearest Palm. The Wrong Way of Picking Up a Brick by the Lower Tier on the Pallet. The Right Way of Picking Up a Brick from the Lower Tier—Right Because the Bricks Are Piled Edge Up and Bricklayer An Average of One Motion per Brick.

By Eliminating Waste and Raising Men and Machines to Their Highest Possible Efficiency the Business Scientists Are Lowering the Cost of Production and Putting Dollars Into the Pockets Not Only of Employers, but of Wage-Earners and Consumers as Well.



The Steam Shovel, a Splendid Example of Time, Money and Labor Saving Efficiency. This Shovel Can Do in a Day as Much Work as One Hundred Laborers.

Photo by the Graefes, Foster & Schwing Div., Rochester, N. Y.

Much Work in Eight Hours as This Gang of 100 Laborers.

envelopes and their enclosures so that each hand, on the completion of one motion, was in the proper position to begin immediately the next motion.

The final motion—that of throwing the filled envelopes upon a pile—was entirely eliminated by placing a large basket on the floor, directly under the point where the envelopes were inserted in the envelope. When the envelopes were once inside, the girl simply let go of the envelope and it fell into the basket, gravity doing the work formerly done by the girl.

After the girls had been taught the new methods of filling envelopes their output was nearly four times as great as it had been when they were doing their work haphazard in any way that happened to occur to them.

Four Times as Much Work Per Man Produced by Scientific Methods.

Case C THE science of business efficiency enabled the Bethlehem Steel Company to make an annual saving of nearly \$37,000 in a yard where pig iron is handled and at the same time pay the man who did the work \$11.50 a day instead of \$11.15. There could be no better illustration than this of the fact that the workman shares with their employers in the benefits which scientific management brings.

The economy in the steel company's pig iron yard was accomplished under the direction of Frederick W. Taylor, of Philadelphia, who was the originator of scientific management and is today one of the greatest authorities on the subject.

When Mr. Taylor undertook this work he found 30,000 tons of pig iron piled in small piles in a yard adjoining the works. A gang of 15 men was employed in loading this iron into cars. They were good, average pig iron handlers, working under a very capable foreman and they were probably doing as much work as fast and about as cheaply as it could have been done anywhere at that time.

Each pig of iron weighed about 33 pounds. A railroad track had been run into the yard close up to the piles of iron. The method of loading was for a man to pick up one of the pigs, carry it up an inclined plank and drop it on the car.

By means of a careful time study of the operation of loading, Mr. Taylor and his assistants found that the gang was loading on the average about 12½ long tons of iron per man per day. They also found that a really first class man, working in a scientific way, should be able to load at least 47 or 48 tons of iron a day.

In other words, these pig iron handlers were attaining only about 25 per cent of the efficiency that could reasonably be ex-

pected of them. Nearly 75 per cent of their labor was going to waste.

The task which faced the business scientists was to get this pig iron loaded at the rate of 47 tons per man per day, and to accomplish this without bringing on a strike or making the men unhappy and discontented.

The first practical step was, as it is in most cases of this kind, the scientific selection of men who were best adapted by nature for handling pig iron.

"In teaching workmen of this type to work scientifically," says Mr. Taylor, "I have made it an invariable rule to talk to and deal with only one man at a time, for the reason that each workman has his own special abilities and limitations and much more so widely that it is impossible to educate and improve them in masses."

Among the 75 pig iron handlers, the one who seemed the best adapted for making a test of the 47-ton-a-day pace was a little Pennsylvania Dutchman named Schmidt. His ambition and his physical strength made him good material to work on.

On his wages of \$11.15 a day he had saved enough to buy a little plot of ground, and he was sufficiently fresh after his hard day's work in the yard to walk a mile or so to his home and work far into the night on a cottage he was building.

With due regard for Schmidt's not-over-keen intellect the possibility of his earning more money by loading more iron every day was explained to him. First his vanity was excited by praising his ability and telling him that he really ought to be earning more money. Schmidt's ambition was stirred. Certainly he could load 47 tons a day, if they would pay him \$12.50 a day!

"But," explained Mr. Taylor, "if you are a high-priced man and are going to earn \$12.50 a day, you must do exactly as we tell you to do from morning to night. When we tell you to pick up a pig and walk, you pick it up and you walk; and when we tell you to sit down and rest, you do that."

Schmidt agreed and the next morning he started in under the direction of a foreman who stood over him with a watch. He worked when he was told to work and he rested when he was told to rest. By the close of the day he had loaded 47½ tons of iron.

For three years after that the little Dutchman worked at this same job, and he almost never failed to keep up to the 47-ton standard which scientific management had made possible for him. And during all this time he averaged a little more than \$12.50 per day, whereas before he was taught how to work scientifically he had never earned more than \$11.15.

If Schmidt had been allowed to attempt to load 47 tons in a day without the direction of some one who understood the science of handling pig iron, he would have tired himself out by noon and by night would have been so completely exhausted that he would have been unfit for work the next day. Under proper direction he did not let his eagerness for high wages carry him off his feet. He soon learned the habit of resting at proper in-

tervals, so that he was able to work at an even gait for the entire day.

When the task of teaching the rest of the men to work as Schmidt was doing was begun it was found that only one man in eight was physically capable of handling 47½ tons a day. Their intentions were in most cases good, but they lacked the muscle and the endurance that were necessary for the task. So, finally, these unfit men were dismissed, and in their places were hired laborers who, like Schmidt, were naturally adapted for the work.

The dismissal of these physically unfit men was no hardship for them. In the first place, almost all of them were immediately given jobs in other departments of the steel company. In the second place, their removal from a work for which they were manifestly unfit was really a kindness to them, for it was the first step toward finding them work for which they were fitted and which would pay them higher wages.

After the pig iron yard had been completely reorganized on a scientific basis, its cost to the company showed a net saving of \$36,417.89 per year; the average cost of handling was reduced from seven cents to three cents per ton; the average number of tons of iron handled per day per man was increased by 16; and the average daily wage earned by each man was \$12.50, instead of \$11.15.

From his observations in the pig iron yard at Bethlehem and elsewhere, Mr. Taylor deduced a very valuable law relative to the limit of a man's capacity for heavy labor. This law is that for each given push or pull on the man's arm, the workman who is to produce a maximum output can be under load for only a definite percentage of the day.

In handling pigs of iron the average weight of 16, and the average daily wage earned by each man was \$12.50, instead of \$11.15.

For the remainder of the day—57 per cent—he must be free from load—resting—if he is to attain the highest efficiency of which he is capable.

As the load becomes heavier the man finds it possible to carry it during a larger and larger percentage of the day, until finally a load is reached which he can carry in his hands all day long without reaching the point of exhaustion.

It is thus seen that to secure a maximum amount of heavy labor rest periods of length and frequency, varying according to the weight of the load, are absolutely necessary.

How a Force of Stenographers Was Made Really Efficient.

Case D IN the stenographic department of a New York corporation where fifty girl stenographers and typewriters were employed it seemed impossible to increase the output even a fraction of a per cent without a corresponding increase in salaries, and it seemed equally impossible to decrease the running expenses with the present output.

The women employed were intelligent, faithful, hard working, the manager was capable, as managers go, the equipment, so far as machines, stationery and supplies went, was fairly up to date. There seemed to be no waste that could possibly be eliminated.

Yet, when scientific business methods were applied to this department, the total output was increased more than 10 per cent and the average quality of the work was improved 70 per cent, with 30 per cent lower payroll on the payroll. Here is how this modern business miracle was accomplished.

One day the manager of this department awoke to the fact that he had only a general and rather hazy idea of the relative value of his employees. He was paying Miss A. \$10 a week because she was experienced and had been in the office a long time. Yet he had no certain knowledge that Miss A. did any more work per day than Miss B., who received only \$8 a week.

To get this knowledge he made a study of the time record by several of the most capable stenographers to do the various kinds of work with which the department had to deal. This gave him a table of definite standards of the amount of work which could reasonably be expected in a day.

As these standards had to do with widely different classes of

work, they had to be given relative values. In the time allowed for typewriting ten pages of matter from dictation, of course, a larger number of pages could be typewritten from printed copy. The writing of a certain number of form letters was equal to the writing of a certain number of follow-up cards, and this in turn had its time equivalent in receipts, tabulated reports, and so on through all the work which the department did. Allowance had to be made for time spent in taking dictation and for work which required extra time, such as corrections, etc.

Report cards were printed, and on these each stenographer was required to record the amount of each kind of work done by her each day. The totals shown by these cards for the first three days of the week were posted on a bulletin board every Thursday morning. This enabled the stenographers to know when they were lagging behind and by putting on extra steam, to bring their record up for the week.

In order to earn the maximum salary which the department paid, a stenographer must average from week to week the standard amount of work which the time study had shown to be possible. If she fell below this standard her salary suffered a corresponding decrease or, worse, if she was able to exceed the standard she received a corresponding wage bonus.

The daily postage report, which was very carefully kept, served as a convenient check to prevent the stenographers from padding their daily reports.

The new system brought about some astonishing results. It showed that a number of employees who had always been thought competent and were receiving high wages were actually doing less than average. Every employee who was at heart honest and anxious to do a fair day's work welcomed the scientific methods, and before they had been in operation two weeks the output of the department began to increase and the quality of the work to improve.

To supplement the policy of knowing exactly the amount of work each employee was doing, and paying her accordingly, numerous other changes were made, all of which tended to greater efficiency.

Another simple change which made for marked economy was the arrangement of the girls' lunch hour, so that one-third of them went out at 11, another third at noon and another third at 1 o'clock. Under the former arrangement the lunch time of one girl would overlap the lunch time of another, thus leading to the confusion due to all the girls going out and coming back at the same time.

Time and Money Saved by the New Methods.

Other Cases ALTHOUGH, as has been said, not more than one hundred industries are as yet under scientific management, the new and better methods have gained a foothold in single departments of thousands of enterprises. Very often, it seems, a more department head is quick to see the advantage of efficient methods than the ablest, tradition-bound corporation president.

The railroads, backward in most respects, have in some cases adopted efficient methods in one or more departments.

The Santa Fe system is a notable example of shops are conducted on a scientific basis and a very high degree of efficiency is maintained.

The steam shovel, which is a notable example of machinery that is efficient in saving time, money and labor, is extensively used by the railroads in construction and maintenance work. One shovel alone, costing \$10,000, has saved the Santa Fe \$100,000. It will do in an hour's time the work of one hundred laborers.

A Philadelphia company found that for its men to get drinking water was costing \$12 a week. Every day a man would get a drink he had to leave his bench, with consequent delay to his work. By means of \$2000 a year was effected by installing a siphon of drinking two boxes, at \$5 a week each, to carry water to the men.

Another Philadelphia plant was on the verge of bankruptcy until scientific management was introduced. Now the plant is one of the most profitable of its kind in the world.

Bricks as Many Bricks and Not Work as Hard as Before.

the unions gave their consent to the Gilbreth plan.

The first men hired to work by the new methods received \$8.50 a day instead of \$4.50, the union rate, but they were told that they would have to lay bricks the way Mr. Gilbreth wanted them. There was to be no more stopping—no more putting the brick—and they were to make only five motions for each brick instead of eighteen.

In a very short time these men were laying 850 bricks an hour—nearly three times the number which had previously been the record. And since then no difficulty has been found in training other men to do as well with the new methods.

Mr. Gilbreth's conclusions regarding bricklaying and the novel methods by which he arrived at them are published in a book, entitled "Motion Study." This book is an authoritative and valuable guide to the application of scientific methods, for the principles which were applied with such surprising results to bricklaying may be applied equally well to any industry where energy is going to waste.

Motion study is, of course, only in its first stage, the stage of discovering and classifying the best practices. The best method of classifying a series of motions thus far discovered is as follows:

1. Reduce the present practice to writing.
 2. Enumerate the variables which affect each motion.
 3. Reduce the best practice to writing.
 4. Enumerate the variables used.
 5. Enumerate the variables which affect each motion.
- It is found that certain variables have to be taken into consideration. These variables naturally group themselves into three divisions: 1. The body—strength, speed, endurance, power, experience, fatigue, habits, health, mode of living, nutrition, etc.

2. The surroundings, equipment and tools—appliance, clothes, color, entertainment, heating, cooling, resting, lighting, quality of material, reward and punishment, size of unit moved, special fatigue-eliminating devices, surroundings, tools, union rules, weight of unit moved.

3. The variables of the Motion—direction, speed, acceleration, combination with other motions and sequence, cost, direction, effective force, foot pounds of work accomplished, momentum, momentum, overcome, length, pressure, path, payoff for position, speed.

Some very interesting facts were ascertained by Mr. Gilbreth with reference to the effect of these variables upon a workman's output.

Under the variable termed "need" are grouped religion, nationality and everything that might create a bond of sympathy between the workers and the people with whom they come in contact. It was found that a bricklayer will usually do his best and better work on the walls of a church of his own religion than on one that is to be occupied by a congregation not of his belief.

The importance of considering the fatigue of the worker was clearly shown in the experiments with bricklaying. Not only for the workman's welfare, but for economic reasons, it is important that they should be so placed and equipped that their work is done under the most comfortable conditions.

All the ablest business scientists are studying the subject of fatigue, and before many years the exact nature of fatigue caused and the percentage of rest required in many different kinds of work will be matters of scientific record.

Mr. Gilbreth's conclusions as to the mental and physical variables of the bricklayer are applicable with equal force to any other industry. They are as follows:

That first-class men should always be secured if that be possible.

That everything possible should be done to preserve and to add to the natural powers and capacities that the worker brings to his work.

That standard practice derived from motion study does add to the natural powers of the worker, and both shorten his hours of work and add to his output.

That training based on the laws underlying standard practice will enable the worker of the future to attain still higher efficiency and output.

Style of Staging. Bricklayers Cannot Do Their Best Work When Working in This Brick-Breaking Position.

Under the New Methods the Constant Stooping is Avoided by Providing Raised Mortar Boxes and High Piles of Bricks.

Diagram of a Bricklayer at Work. Nations Are Saved by Depositing the Mortar in the Same Time the Brick Is Placed on the Previous Trowelful.

From "Illustrations in Motion Study," by Frank B. Gilbreth, Published by the D. Van Nostrand Company.

HOW I MAKE MY PERFUMES

The French Beauty Who Scents Even Her Dogs

and
Cats
Gives
Recipes
for the
Prepara-
tions
That Have
Made Her
Famous as
"The Slave of Perfume."

Mademoiselle Madeleine Carlier.

"The Slave of Perfume."

By
Mlle.
Made-
leine
Carlier,
French
Actress
and
Beauty



Essence of ambergris, 1/4 drachm
Coarsely powdered vanilla
beans, 1/4 ounce
Orange flower water, 1/4 pint
Cologne spirits, 1 quart
Let this stand for mellowing one
week, then pour into a decanter and
filter into it five or six drops each
of the oil of bitter almonds and cas-
sia. This forms a cosmetic as well
as a perfume, for it whitens and
softens the skin amazingly.

This is my receipt for a most frag-
rant violet sachet which I will
later tell you how I use all over my
body:

Starch, 1 pound
orris root, 1 ounce
Essence of ambergris, 10 drops
Oil of bergamot, 10 drops
Oil of stoudium, 2 drops
Mix thoroughly and rub through a
very fine gauze sieve.

Mix this with coarse white corn
meal in the proportion of a quart of
meal to three-fourths the violet pow-
der and I beat fairly warm. After
my bath I have my maid rub till
I am in a radiant glow and exult-
ingly perfumed. This is the manner
that I use all body perfumes when I
want the fragrance to last so that
every cell is filled with its burden
of perfume and this is why I have
such a trail of fragrance after me.

Here is another very agreeable
perfume which is very delicious to
me when I am feeling blue and
lonely. I call it my bouquet de
deceit:

Spirit of roses, 1/4 ounce
Spirit of rosemary, 1/4 ounce
Essence of violet, 1/4 drachm
Essence of ambergris, 1 drachm
Oil of cedar, 1 drachm
Orange flower water, 1 pint

Shake and blend well together;
let it mellow for a week and it is
altogether charming.

Here is a wonderful rich, heavy
perfume that I like when I am feel-
ing blue and all the world looks
bright to me. It is a bouquet sort
of fragrance:

Attar of roses, 1/4 drachm
Oil of rose geranium, 1/4 drachm
Essence of musk, 1 drachm
Essence of ambergris, 1 drachm
Cologne spirits warmed, 1 pint

Mix thoroughly, cork tightly and
agitate frequently until cold. This
is one of the most lasting of per-
fumes. Its fragrance remains strong
until washed out.

I make my own eau de cologne,
for I use such immense quantities
that I should be bankrupt if I bought
it ready made in the shops. Be-
sides, mine is far better than the
very best that can be purchased, for
the reason that applies to every-
thing made in small quantities—it
always has something finer and bet-
ter about it than things made in
great quantities. This is it:

Oil of bergamot, 2 drachms
Oil of lemon, 2 drachms
Oil of orange, 1 drachm
Neroli, 1/4 drachm
Oil of rosemary, 1/4 drachm
Essence of ambergris, 4 drops
Essence of musk, 4 drops
Rectified or cologne spirits,

1 pint
I use this by the quart and splash
it all over my body when I am tired
and want to be refreshed.

I love to have my bed and table
linen smelt of roses. It is so sooth-
ing, so delicate, and I love the real
rose odor, too, from the real flowers
—no extracts or essences. I make
rose balls and scatter them in the
drawers and shelves of my linen
press, and the odor is very strong
and rich and refreshing. There is
really nothing so lovely as real
rose perfume for household linen.

This is the way I make the rose
balls:

I gather in the Summer enormous
quantities of deeply colored rose
petals from roses grown in the open
air and sunlight. Remember this,
please, for the petals of the hot-
house rose yield very little lasting
fragrance. They are poor fragrant
things of a moment and have not
the fragrance and splendor of scent
that the open air roses have.

Mrs. Carlier, the
Pet Dog She
Keeps Perfumed
and One of Her
Own Perfume
Burners

THEY call me "The Slave of Per-
fume" in Paris, a title I
love, simply because I am so
passionately fond of perfume. I use
perfume as perfume no other woman
of modern times uses it. History
tells us that Cleopatra used it in
such a lavish manner that probably
she could not

I cannot bear a thing that is not
perfumed. My friends say that I
leave a trail of volatile fragrance
behind me that lasts for half an
hour. After I have been promena-
ding in the Bois de Boulogne astray
in the trail of perfume I leave be-
hind me that one of my friends re-
marked: "I think Carlier must
have passed here an hour ago—the
air is filled with perfume."

Even my dogs for I filled with
scented powder. My cat, my parrot
and my horse all have their coats
perfumed, and even my maid has to
have a fragrant drizzling before
she enters my presence.

I use both dry and liquid perfume.
I am not a slave to just one kind,
as so many women are. I should
as soon think of eating just one
kind of food all my life. There are
so many tempting odors. Violet is
lovely and refined and delicate. I
know, and I love it; but how could
I get along without lily of the val-
ley or white rose or heliotrope, or
the hundred and one other delicious
scents? I want them all, for one
day I am in the mood for one and
another day for something else.

For example, if I am pensive and
thoughtful and quiet, I like violet.
If I am in a romantic mood, I want
lily of the valley. If sad and despondent,
I want white rose; if very happy,
I want lily of the valley, and so on.

I make nearly all of my perfumes
myself. It would ruin me if I bought them
ready made at the enormous prices
that Paris perfumers charge. I am
going to give you some of my choice
recipes later on, so that every
woman can make her own perfume.

It is delightful to catch the fra-
grance of delicate scents wafted
from feminine attire. I am sure
that it is quite unusual and af-
fected to say you don't like per-
fumes, as some cranks do nowadays.

Women are like flowers; they should
be perfumed. A perfumed woman
is more attractive than one who is
not perfumed. Just as a fragrant
flower is more attractive than one
that is without odor.

The perfumes I use are so power-
ful that people in the audience can
detect them easily when I am on the
stage. I use an extra amount then
for the reason that it counteracts
the heat of the stage lights.

Perfume acts like a
bracer or a tonic to me.

The so-called flower scents are
usually a clever combination of ex-
tracts and chemicals which so close-
ly resemble the real odors that I
think even bees would be deceived.

I love to experiment with chemical
oils and acids and create new and
marvelous perfumes that do not
resemble any flower, but are so ex-
traordinary pleasing to the senses that
every one exclaims in ecstasy over
them. This is my hobby.

My hobby is my hobby. I have
many bred dogs, others paint or
sculpture, some collect curios, but I

play with perfumes. If I ever want-
ed to leave this stage and go into
the perfume business I could make
a fortune, but I don't want to do
that. There all the beauty of per-
fume making would be gone. I want
to remain my plaything—some-
thing refreshing and diverting, to
take up my time when I am tired
and faded with stage life.

My Formulas.

This makes a most refreshing
perfume with which I bathe my
body before retiring.

Oil of lemon, 1/4 fluid drachm
Essence of Peru, 1/4 grains
Essential oil of almonds, 8 grains
Spirit of orange flower, 5 drachms

Rectified spirits, 1/2 ounce
I make a fascinating perfume in
this fashion:

Oil of lavender, 1/4 ounce
Oil of bergamot, 1/4 ounce
Essence of musk, 1/4 drachm
Oil of clove, 1/4 drachm
Essence of ambergris, 1/4 drachm
Cologne of rectified spirits,

1/2 pint
Shake this well together and leave
to mellow for a week or ten days.
This is another of my refreshing
perfumes that I use for bathing and
bracing me up. It is like a tonic.

To make a wonderful soap de-
troyer I use the following ingredi-
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Saving the Earliest Record of Christianity in China

The Nestorian Stone,
Now Safe From
Injury in the
Old Chinese
Capital of Sian-fu.

(And Below)
How the Stone Was
Carted Over the
Mountains to
Sian-fu.



MOST people take it for granted
that the earliest Christian
missionaries to China were
Roman Catholic priests sent to that
country less than 150 years ago.
One of the most precious relics of
the progress of Christianity, how-
ever, proves that the Chinese actu-
ally were brought under the teach-
ings of our Saviour 1,600 years ear-
lier.

This proof is a monument called
the Nestorian Stone, which was
erected near Sian-fu, a former capi-

tal of China and the chief town in
the Province of Shensi. In the year
781, to commemorate the arrival and
work of the first Christian mis-
sionaries to China, the Nestorian monks
from Syria, and perhaps from Persia.
The inscription on the Nestorian
Stone is in Chinese and Syriac, and
gives the history of the arrival of
the monks, led by one Qilupin; but
the language is very terse.

In 1907 the Danish explorer, Frits
V. Holm, M.R.A.S. (London), set out
to see if he could buy the real tablet
or obtain a new one—a perfect mod-
ern replica. The Holm-Nestorian
Expedition to Sian-fu succeeded in
conveying to the United States a ten-
foot high, two-ton limestone mon-
olith replica, with the full inscription
of over 2,000 Chinese and Syriac
characters perfectly chiseled, made
of limestone from the same quarries
at Funging, from which the original
came more than 1,100 years ago.

This replica is now in the New
York Metropolitan Museum of Art,
and as a direct result of this man-
ifestation of interest in it by the chief
Christian nation of the world, the
relic itself has now been insured
against further injury by moving it
to the city of Sian-fu proper, into the
"stone copies," where many
precious relics are preserved.

The Nestorian stone was
found accidentally by Chinese labor-
ers who were excavating the ground
for a new temple, and it was placed
by the Governor of Shensi of that
day on a "fair pedestal," a stone
tortoise, as is the rule with mem-
orial slabs.

The tablet, which is two feet high,
was not seen or mentioned by
Marco Polo when he traveled in
these regions about A. D. 1300, and
it was possibly buried then—al-
though Nestorian converts were still
to be found about that date, for
the famous traveler refers to them.

In the latter part of the last cen-
tury the missionaries and the Corps
Diplomatique at Peking tried to ob-
tain some protection for the venera-
ble monument, and the Chinese Gov-
ernment erected a cheap ramshackle
shed which fell to pieces in a year.

Naturally, nearly three hundred
years of exposure to the elements,
and general lack of care, have caused
the venerable relic to suffer some.
But its inscription is still legible,
and in its well guarded new home
its safety and preservation are now
assured—for what stupider-minded
fool would be so careless?

The photographs reproduced here-
tofore were taken at the time the ta-
blet was moved from its original
site into the city of Sian-fu. The
relic weighs more than a ton.

The capital of the province of
Shensi is situated some 1,300 miles
from Shanghai, and is a very un-
conspicuous place, for while one can see
the ancient steampower to Hankow,
and the railway to Homan-fu, one
has still several hundred miles of
caravan travel over the Loos before
reaching Sian.

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and, like the replica, weighs two
tons and was not seen or mentioned by
Marco Polo when he traveled in
these regions about A. D. 1300, and
it was possibly buried then—al-
though Nestorian converts were still
to be found about that date, for
the famous traveler refers to them.

In the latter part of the last cen-
tury the missionaries and the Corps
Diplomatique at Peking tried to ob-
tain some protection for the venera-
ble monument, and the Chinese Gov-
ernment erected a cheap ramshackle
shed which fell to pieces in a year.

Naturally, nearly three hundred
years of exposure to the elements,
and general lack of care, have caused
the venerable relic to suffer some.
But its inscription is still legible,
and in its well guarded new home
its safety and preservation are now
assured—for what stupider-minded
fool would be so careless?

The photographs reproduced here-
tofore were taken at the time the ta-
blet was moved from its original
site into the city of Sian-fu. The
relic weighs more than a ton.

The capital of the province of
Shensi is situated some 1,300 miles
from Shanghai, and is a very un-
conspicuous place, for while one can see
the ancient steampower to Hankow,
and the railway to Homan-fu, one
has still several hundred miles of
caravan travel over the Loos before
reaching Sian.

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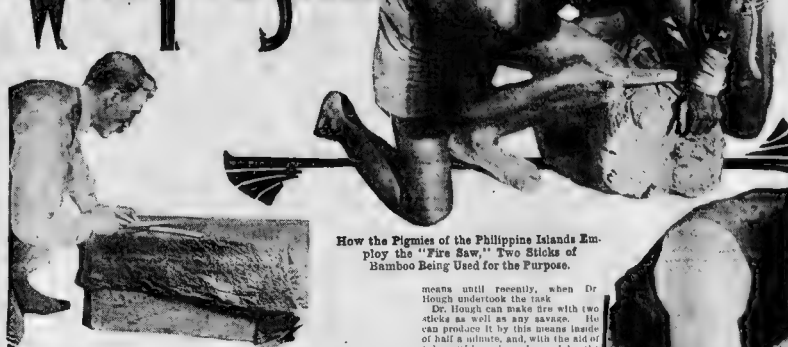


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caravan—and nearly lost his life
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HOW TO MAKE FIRE WITH TWO STICKS



How the Pigmies of the Philippine Islands Employ the "Fire Saw," Two Sticks of Bamboo Being Used for the Purpose.

The Saw Method as Practised by the Government's Experts.

IS there a boy anywhere in the civilized world who has not wished that he were able to make fire by rubbing two sticks together? The stories about the Australian bushmen and other savages who do it so easily are very fascinating, though, if the truth be confessed, the descriptions given of the manner in which they accomplish the feat are unconvincing.

the feature not very clear.
"Can it be done? For the benefit of the American boy, Dr. Walter Hough, of the National Museum at Washington, took up the matter seriously and after considerable labor, has demonstrated not only that the feat can be done, but that it is not even very difficult. It is just a knock

As a matter of fact, wild and semi-wild people in many parts of the world produce fire in just this way. The Eskimos do it. So likewise do the native inhabitants of Samoa and other island groups of Polynesia. The Malays, and even the primitive black dwarfs of the Philippines (of whom we have come to know quite a good deal recent y) are familiar with the art.

The thing is done not always in the same way. Indeed, there are a number of different methods. Yet all of them, as recent investigation has shown, are exceedingly simple. Why, then, the notion that there is something mysterious about the process? Is it to be supposed that civilized man is not able to comprehend, and to practice, an art that is understood by people of the most primitive races?

The Whirling-Stick Method Is Simple, but Requires Two Persons.

Surely not. At the same time, it must be acknowledged that travelers and scientists hitherto have been greatly puzzled by this problem of making fire with two sticks. They have tried their level best themselves to do it, and have ignominiously failed. In fact, no civilized man seems ever to have succeeded in producing fire by such

world, the art of making fire with two sticks is all a matter of know-how." Any boy can do it, if he takes the trouble to try.

Perhaps the simplest method of making fire in this way is the Polynesian. It consists of rubbing one end of a short, pointed stick along a groove which has been previously cut in a larger, flat stick, the latter being laid on the ground. Of course, the motion should be as rapid as possible. Presently, if the

The Plowing Method Is Not as Complicated as Some of the Others, but Requires Practice.

***The Secret of the Bushman and the
Primitive Savage Discovered
by a U. S. Government Expert***

of twirling the ends of a round stick in a hole previously made near the edge of a flat stick, which lies on the ground. The wood dust thus ground off soon turns black, begins to smoke, and takes fire. But this process demands much more practice and skill than the above-

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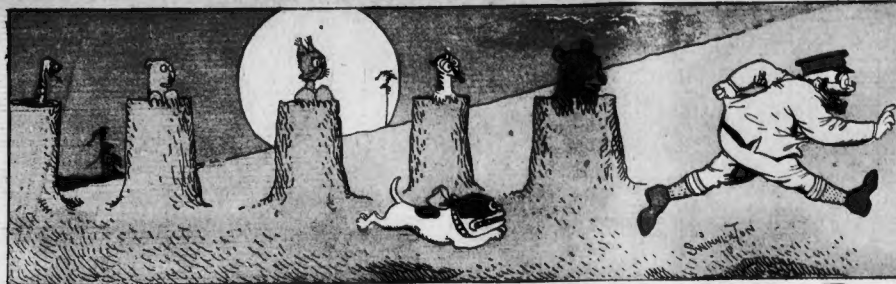
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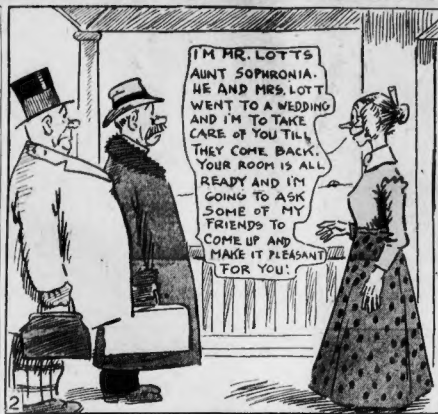
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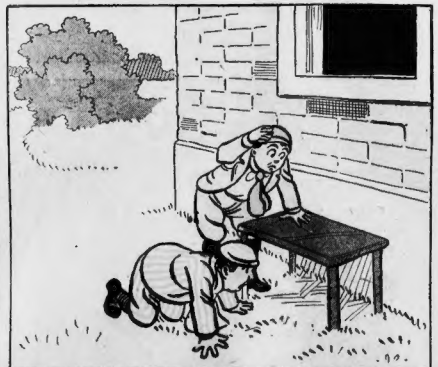
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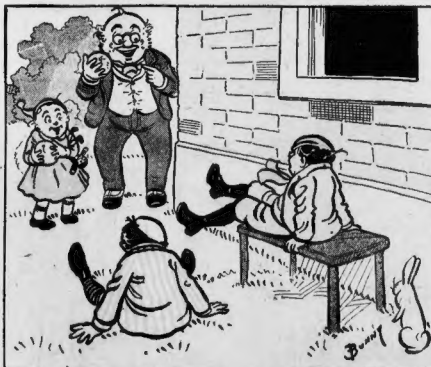
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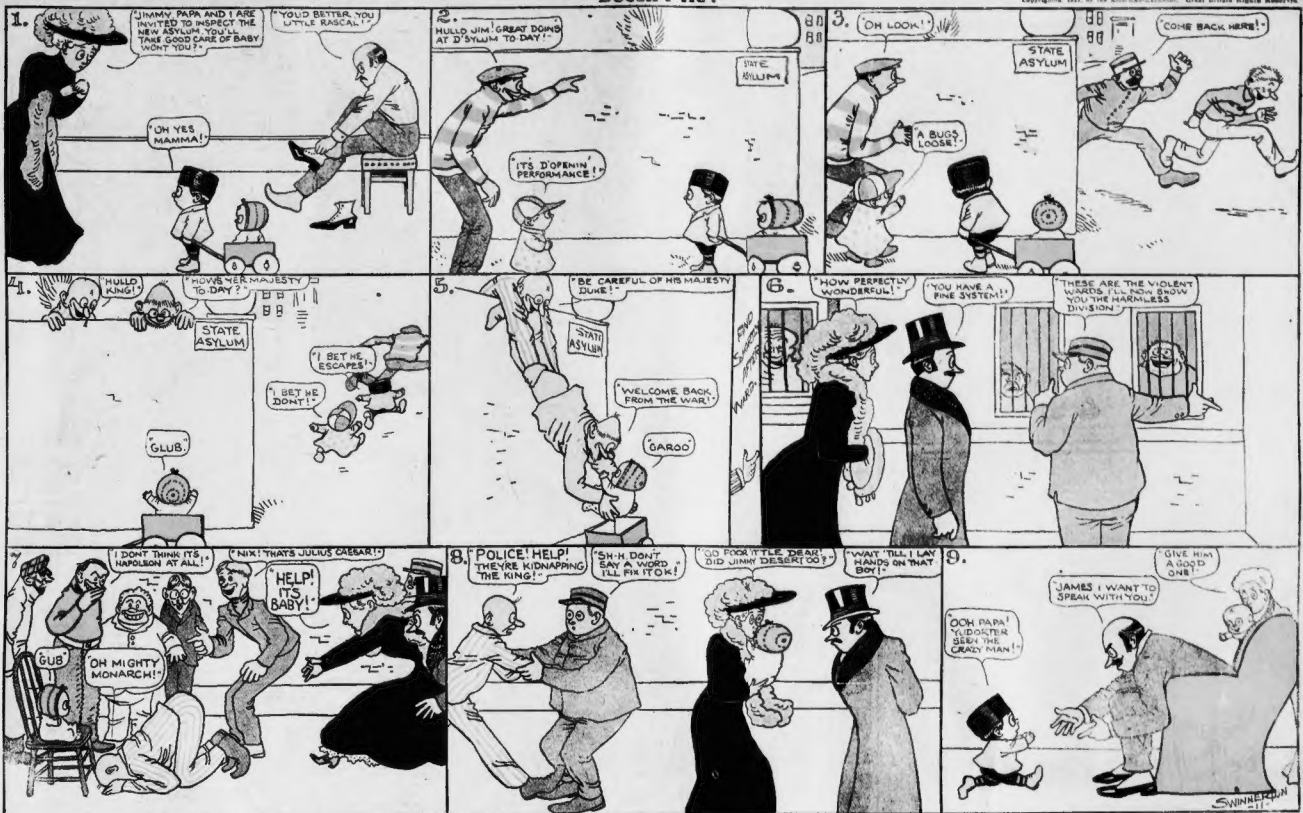


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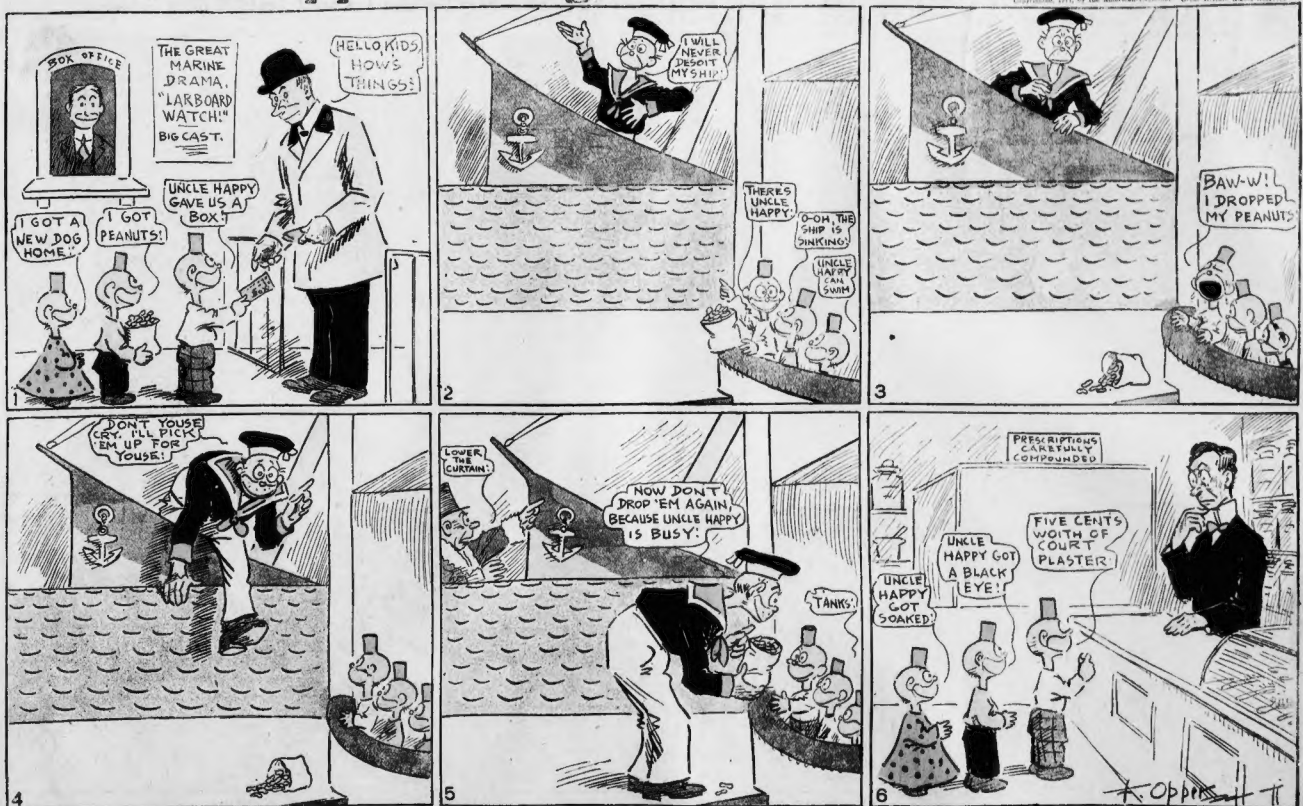
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